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CONTAINING

RULES AND ORDERS

OF THE

CITY COUNCIL,

THE

CITY CHARTER AND RECENT ORDINANCES,

AND A

LIST OF THE OFFICERS

OF THE

CITY OF BOSTON,

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CITY OF BOSTON.

JOINT RULES AND ORDERS

OF THE

CITY COUNCIL.

SECT. 1. At the commencement of the Municipal year, the following Joint Standing Committees shall be chosen by ballot, viz:

A Committee on Finance—

To consist of the Mayor and seven members of the Common Council;

A Committee on Accounts—

To consist of two Aldermen and three members of the Common Council.

And the following shall be appointed, viz:

A Committee on the Public Lands—

To consist of three members of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and five members of the Common Council;

A Committee on Public Buildings—

To consist of three members of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and five members of the Common Council;

A Committee on Public Instruction—

To consist of the Mayor, two Aldermen, and the President and four members of the Common Council;

A Committee on the Institutions at South Boston and on Deer Island—

To consist of the Mayor, two Aldermen, and five members of the Common Council;

A Committee on Fuel—

To consist of two members of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and three members of the Common Council;

A Committee on Water—

To consist of the Mayor, two Aldermen, and five members of the Common Council;

A Committee on the Treasury Department—

To consist of two Aldermen, and three members of the Common Council;

A Committee on the Assessors' Department—

To consist of two members of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and three members of the Common Council;

A Committee on Boston Harbor—

To consist of two members of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and three members of the Common Council;

A Committee on Printing—

To consist of one member of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and two members of the Common Council;

A Committee on a Public Library—

To consist of the Mayor and two Aldermen, and five members of the Common Council.

A Committee on Ordinances—

To consist of three Aldermen, and five members of the Common Council.

On all Joint Committees, wherein it is provided that the Mayor shall be a member, in case of the non-election, de-

cease, inability, or absence of that officer, the Chairman of the Board of Aldermen shall act ex-officio.

The members of the Board of Aldermen and of the Common Council, who shall constitute the Joint Standing Committees, shall be chosen or appointed by their respective Boards.

The Mayor, the President of the Common Council, and the Chairman of the Committee of Finance on the part of the Common Council, shall, according to the ordinance, constitute the Committee on the Reduction of the City Debt.

The member of the Board of Aldermen first named on every Joint Committee, of which the Mayor is not a member, shall be its Chairman; and in case of his resignation or inability, the other members of the same Board, in the order in which they are named, and after them, the member of the Common Council, first in order, shall call meetings of the Committee and act as Chairman.

SECT. 2. In every case of disagreement between the two branches of the City Council, if either Board shall request a conference, and appoint a Committee of Conference, and the other Board shall also appoint a Committee to confer, such Committee shall, at a convenient hour, to be agreed upon by their Chairman, meet and state to each other verbally or in writing, as either shall choose, the reasons of their respective Boards, for and against the matter in controversy, confer freely thereon, and report to their respective branches.

SECT. 3. When either Board shall not concur in any action of the other, notice of such non-concurrence shall be given by written message.

SECT. 4. Either Board may propose to the other, for its concurrence, a time to which both Boards shall adjourn.

SECT. 5. All By-Laws passed by the City Council, shall

be termed "Ordinances," and the enacting style shall be:— Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled.

SECT. 6. In all votes, when either or both branches of the City Council express any thing by way of *Command*, the form of expression shall be "Ordered;" and whenever, either or both branches express *opinions*, *principles*, *facts*, or *purposes*, the form shall be "Resolved."

SECT. 7. In the present and every future financial year, after the annual order of appropriations shall have been passed, no subsequent expenditures shall be authorized for any object, unless provision for the same shall be made by special transfer from some of the appropriations contained in such annual order, or by expressly creating therefor a City Debt; in the latter of which cases, the order shall not be passed, unless two thirds of the whole number of each branch of the City Council shall vote in the affirmative, by vote taken by yea and nay.

SECT. 8. In all contracts or expenditures to be made under the authority of the City Council, whenever the estimates shall exceed the appropriation specially made therefor, it shall be the duty of the Committee having such subject in charge to submit the same to the City Council for instructions before such contract is made and signed, or any expenditure for the object is made.

SECT. 9. Joint Standing Committees shall cause records to be kept of their proceedings, by a Secretary to be chosen at their first meeting, in books provided by the City for that purpose. No Committee shall act by separate consultations, and no report shall be received, unless agreed to in Committee actually assembled.

SECT. 10. It shall be the duty of every Joint Committee, to whom any subject may be specially referred, to

report thereon within four weeks, or to ask for further time.

SECT. 11. All reports and other papers submitted to the City Council, shall be written in a fair hand, and no report or endorsement of any kind shall be made on the reports, memorials, or other papers referred to the Committee of either branch. All reports shall be signed by the writers thereof, unless otherwise directed by the Committee. And the Clerks shall make copies of any papers to be reported by Committees, at the request of the respective Chairmen thereof.

SECT. 12. No Chairman of any Committee shall audit or approve any bill or account against the City, for any supplies or services, which shall not have been ordered or authorized by the Committee.

RULES AND ORDERS

OF THE

COMMON COUNCIL.

Duties and Powers of the President.

SECT. 1. The President shall take the chair precisely at the hour to which the Council shall have adjourned; shall call the members to order; and on the appearance of a quorum, cause the minutes of the preceding meeting to be read, and proceed to business.

SECT. 2. He shall preserve decorum and order; may speak to points of order in preference to other members; and shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Council, by motion regularly seconded; and no other business shall be in order till the question on the appeal shall have been decided.

SECT. 3. He shall declare all votes, but if any member rises to doubt a vote, the President shall cause a return of the members voting in the affirmative, and in the negative, without further debate on the question.

SECT. 4. He shall rise to address the Council, or to put a question, but may read sitting.

SECT. 5. In all cases the President may vote.

SECT. 6. When the Council shall determine to go into a Committee of the Whole, the President shall appoint the member who shall take the chair. The President may at any other time, call any member to the chair, but such substitution shall not continue beyond an adjournment.

SECT. 7. On all questions and motions whatsoever, the President shall take the sense of the Council by yeas and nays, provided one fifth of the members present shall so require.

SECT. 8. The President shall propound all questions in the order in which they are moved, unless the subsequent motion shall be previous in its nature, except, that in naming sums and fixing times, the largest sum and longest time, shall be put first.

SECT. 9. After a motion is stated or read by the President, it shall be deemed to be in possession of the Council, and shall be disposed of by vote, but the mover may withdraw it at any time before a decision or amendment.

SECT. 10. When a question is under debate, the President shall receive no motion, but to adjourn, to lay on the table, for the previous question, to postpone to a day certain, to commit, to amend, or to postpone indefinitely; which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they stand arranged; and a motion to strike out the enacting clause of an Ordinance, shall be equivalent to a motion to postpone indefinitely.

SECT. 11. The President shall consider a motion to adjourn as always in order; and that motion, and the motion to lay on the table, or to take up from the table, shall be decided without debate.

SECT. 12. He shall put the previous question in the following form: "*Shall the main question be now put?*"— and all debate upon the main question shall be suspended until the previous question shall be decided. After the adoption of the previous question, the sense of the Council shall forthwith be taken upon amendments reported by a Committee, upon all pending amendments and then upon the main question.

SECT. 13. On the previous question, no member shall

speak more than once without leave; and all incidental questions of order, arising after a motion is made for the previous question, shall be decided without debate, except on an appeal; and on such an appeal, no member shall be allowed to speak more than once without leave of the Council.

SECT. 14. When two or more members happen to rise at once, the President shall name the member who is first to speak.

SECT. 15. All Committees shall be appointed and announced by the President, unless otherwise provided for, or specially directed by the Council.

Rights, Duties, or Decorum of Members.

SECT. 16. In the absence of the President, the senior member present shall call the Council to order, and preside until a President pro tempore shall be chosen by ballot; and if an election is not effected on the first trial, on a second ballot a plurality of votes shall elect.

SECT. 17. Every member when about to speak, shall rise and respectfully address the President; shall confine himself to the question under debate, and avoid personalities; and shall sit down when he has finished. No member shall speak out of his place without leave of the President.

SECT. 18. No member speaking, shall be interrupted by another, but by rising up to call to order.

SECT. 19. No member shall speak more than twice on one question, without first obtaining leave of the Council; nor more than once, until the other members, who have not spoken, shall speak, if they desire it.

SECT. 20. When a vote has passed, it shall be in order for any member who voted in the majority, to move a reconsideration thereof, at the same or the succeeding meet-

ing, but not afterward ; and when a motion for reconsideration is decided, that vote shall not be reconsidered.

SECT. 21. No member shall be obliged to be on more than two Committees at the same time, nor Chairman of more than one.

SECT. 22. No member shall be permitted to stand up to the interruption of another, while any member is speaking ; or to pass unnecessarily between the President and the person speaking.

SECT. 23. When any member shall be guilty of a breach of either of the rules and orders of the Council, he may, on motion, be required by the Council to make satisfaction therefor; and in such a case, he shall not be allowed to vote, or speak, except by way of excuse, till he has done so.

SECT. 24. No member shall be permitted to vote, or serve on any Committee, on any question where his private right is immediately concerned, distinct from the public interest.

SECT. 25. Every member, who shall be present when a question is put, where he is not excluded by interest, shall give his vote, unless the Council, for special reasons, shall excuse him ; application to be so excused, on any question, must be made before the Council is divided, or before the calling of the yeas and nays, and such application shall be accompanied by a brief statement of the reasons, and shall be decided on without debate.

SECT. 26. Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if the President shall so direct.

SECT. 27. Any member may require the division of a question, when the sense will admit of it. A motion to strike out and insert, shall be deemed indivisible ; but a motion to strike out, being lost, shall not preclude amendment, or a motion to strike out and insert.

SECT. 28. No motion or proposition, of a subject different from that under consideration, shall be admitted under color of amendment.

SECT. 29. Motions and Reports may be committed or recommitted, at the pleasure of the Council.

SECT. 30. At every regular meeting of the Council, the order of business shall be as follows :—

1. Papers from the Board of Mayor and Aldermen.
2. Unfinished business of preceding meetings.
3. Communications and Reports from City Officers. Presentation of Petitions, Remonstrances, and Memorials.
4. Reports of Committees.
5. Motions, Orders or Resolutions.

And the above order shall not be departed from but by the votes of a majority of the members of the Council present.

SECT. 31. When a vote is doubted, the members for, and against the question, when called on by the President, shall rise and stand till they are counted.

SECT. 32. All questions relating to priority of business to be acted upon, shall be decided without debate.

SECT. 33. When a motion is made to refer any subject, and different Committees are proposed, the question shall be taken in the following order:

A Standing Committee of the Council;

A Select Committee of the Council;

A Joint Standing Committee ;

A Joint Select Committee.

SECT. 34. The seats of members of the Council shall be numbered, and shall be determined in the presence of the Council, by drawing the names of members, and the numbers of the seats, simultaneously; and each member shall be entitled for the year, to the seat bearing the num-

ber so drawn against his name; and shall not change it except by permission of the President.

SECT. 35. No member shall call another member by his name, in debate, but may allude to him by any intelligible and respectful designation.

SECT. 36. If the reading of any paper is called for, and any member objects thereto, it shall be decided by the Council.

SECT. 37. No rule or order of the Council shall be dispensed with, altered or repealed, unless two thirds of the members present consent thereto.

Petitions, Memorials, &c.

SECT. 38. All papers addressed to the Council, shall be presented by the President, or a member in his place, and shall be read by the President, Clerk, or such other person as the President may request; and shall be taken up in the order in which they are presented, except when the Council shall otherwise determine; provided, that the reading of petitions, memorials, remonstrances, and papers of a like nature, shall in all instances be dispensed with, unless specially ordered by the Council.

Powers and Duties of Committees.

SECT. 39. The rules of proceeding in the Council, shall be observed in Committee of the Whole, so far as they are applicable, excepting the rule limiting the times of speaking; but no member shall speak twice upon any question, until every member choosing to speak, has spoken. A motion to rise, report progress and ask leave to sit again, shall be first in order, and shall be decided without debate.

SECT. 40. A Standing Committee on Elections and

Returns shall be appointed at the commencement of the municipal year, and shall consist of five members.

SECT. 41. No Committee shall sit during the sessions of the Council, without special leave.

SECT. 42. All Committees of the Council, chosen by ballot, or consisting of one or more from each ward, shall be notified of their first meeting by the Clerk, by the direction of the President; they shall organize at their first meeting, by the choice of a Chairman, and shall report the same to the Council; and members on the part of the Council, of Joint Committees, chosen as aforesaid, shall choose a Chairman at their first meeting, and report to the Council in like manner.

In all cases where the President appoints a Committee, unless otherwise provided for, the member first named shall be Chairman, and in his absence the member next in order, who shall be present, shall be Chairman pro tempore.

SECT. 43. All Select Committees of the Council shall consist of three members, unless otherwise ordered.

SECT. 44. No Report of any Committee shall be entitled to be received, unless agreed to in Committee assembled.

SECT. 45. No meeting of any Committee shall be called upon less notice than twenty-four hours.

SECT. 46. It shall be the duty of all Standing Committees, to keep record of their doings, in books provided by the City for that purpose.

SECT. 47. Committees of the Council, to whom any matter is specially referred, may be required to report within four weeks, or ask for further time.

Ordinances, Orders, &c.

SECT. 48. All Ordinances, Orders and Resolutions shall have two several readings, before they are finally

passed ; and no Ordinance, Order or Resolution, imposing penalties, or authorizing the expenditure of money, whether the same may have been appropriated or not—and no Order or Resolution authorizing a loan, shall have more than one reading on the same day; *provided* however, that nothing herein contained shall prevent the passage of an Order at any meeting of the Council, to authorize the printing of any document relating to the affairs of the City.

Elections, &c.

Sect. 49. In all elections by ballot on the part of the Council, the number of blanks, and ballots for ineligible persons, shall be reported, but shall not be counted in the returns.

Sect. 50. All salary officers shall be voted for by written ballots.

Duties of Clerk, &c.

Sect. 51. The Clerk shall keep minutes of the votes and proceedings of the Council, enter thereon such orders and resolutions, as are adopted,—shall notice Reports, Petitions, Memorials and other papers which are presented,—and shall enter all accepted Reports of Select Committees of the Council, at length in a separate journal, to be kept for that purpose, and provided with an index,—shall draw up all messages to the Mayor and Aldermen, and send them by the Messenger, and shall attend the meetings of Committees of the Council, and make their records when required.

Sect. 52. The members of the Council shall not leave their places on adjournment, until the President shall declare the Council adjourned.

CITY CHARTER AND AMENDMENTS.

I. By an act of the legislature of Massachusetts, passed on the twenty-third day of February, eighteen hundred and twenty-two, it was provided that the inhabitants of the town of Boston for all purposes, for which towns were by law incorporated in this commonwealth, should continue to be one body politic, in fact and in name, under the style and denomination of the City of Boston, and as such should have, exercise and enjoy, all the rights, immunities, powers and privileges, and should be subject to all the duties and obligations, then incumbent upon and appertaining to said town, as a municipal corporation. The legislature reserved the right to amend or alter this act whenever they might deem it expedient; and it was to be void unless the inhabitants of the town at a legal meeting should determine to adopt the same within twelve days. It was adopted on the fourth day of March in the same year, and the town immediately became a city.

Corporate name and general powers. 1821, 110, § 1.

Power to amend the charter, Ibid, § 30.

To be adopted by the citizens. Ibid, § 31. Boston Records, vol. 10, p. 457. 1 Pick. Rep. 375.

II. The administration of all the fiscal, prudential, and municipal concerns of the city, with the conduct and government thereof, is vested in one principal officer, to be styled the mayor, one select council, consisting of eight persons, to be denominated the board of aldermen, and one more numerous council to consist of forty-eight persons, to be denominated the common council; which boards in their joint capacity are denominated the city council—together with such other board of officers as are hereinafter specified.

City council and other city officers. 1821, 110, § 1.

III. By the second section of the city charter it was made the duty of the selectmen of Boston, as soon as might be after the passing of the act, to cause a new division of the town to be made into twelve wards, in such manner as to include an equal number of inhabitants in each ward, as nearly as conveniently might be, consistently with well de-

Division into twelve wards. 1821, 110, § 2.

fined limits; including, in such computation of numbers of inhabitants, persons of all descriptions, and taking the last census, made under the authority of the United States, as a basis for such computation. Power was given to the city council, from time to time, not oftener than once in ten years, to alter such divisions of wards, in such manner as to preserve as nearly as might be, an equal number of inhabitants in each ward. This last provision has recently been amended, to the effect, that the division of the city into wards is to be so made as to include an equal number of *legal voters* in each ward.

Each ward to include an equal number of voters. 1850, 167, § 1. (Adopted by city council, April 29, 1850. City Records, vol. 28, p. 160.)

IV. On the second Monday of December annually, the citizens qualified to vote in city affairs are required to meet within their respective wards, at such time and place as the mayor and aldermen may by their warrant direct and appoint; and the said citizens shall then choose by ballot one warden and one clerk, who shall be resident in said ward, who shall hold their offices for one year, and until others are appointed in their stead. It shall be the duty of the warden to preside at all meetings of the citizens of the ward and to preserve order therein. It shall be the duty of the clerk to make a fair and true record, and keep an exact journal of all the acts and votes of the citizens, at the ward meetings; to deliver over such records and journals, together with all other documents and papers held by him, in his said capacity, to his successor in office. In case of the absence of the warden at the opening of any annual meeting it shall be the duty of the clerk to call the citizens to order and preside until a warden is chosen by ballot.[1] If at any other meeting the warden be absent, the clerk is to preside until a moderator or warden *pro tempore* shall be chosen, which may be done by nomination and hand vote if the clerk so direct. The act of 1845, ch. 217, § 3, provides, however, that in case of the absence of any or either of the ward offi-

Annual Municipal election. 1821, 110, § 3. 1824, 49, § 1. (Adopted by the inhabitants, Feb. 25, 1825. Boston Records, vol. 10, p. 505.)

Warden and clerk.

Absence of warden or other officers.

1845, 217, § 3. (Adopted by city council, Oct. 6, 1845. City Records, vol. 23, p. 406.)

[1] This was the original provision in the charter, but the fair inference from the act of 1845, ch. 217, § 3, which is incorporated in the text, is, that any ward office in case of absence may be filled *pro tempore*, by nomination and hand vote, if the voters present so determine.

cers at any meeting, for elections, or other purposes, such office may be filled, *pro tempore*, by the legal voters present, which may be done by nomination and hand votes, if the voters present so determine. At the same meeting five inspectors of elections are to be chosen for the ward, being residents therein, by ballot, to hold their offices for one year. It shall be the duty of the warden and inspectors in each ward, to receive, sort, count, and declare all votes, at all elections within such ward. And the warden, clerk, and inspectors, so chosen, shall respectively be under oath, faithfully and impartially to discharge their several duties, relative to all elections; which oath may be administered, by the clerk of such ward, to the warden, and by the latter to the clerk and inspectors, or by any justice of the peace of the county of Suffolk; and a certificate of such oath's having been administered shall be entered in the record or journal, to be kept by the clerk of such ward.

Inspectors.

Warden, clerk and inspectors to be under oath.

V. The warden, or other presiding officer of a ward meeting, shall have full power and authority to preserve order and decorum therein, and to repress all riotous, tumultuous, and disorderly conduct therein, and for that purpose to call to his aid any constable, or other peace officer, and also to command the aid and assistance of any citizen or citizens, who may be present: and any peace officer, or other citizen, neglecting or refusing to afford such aid, shall be taken and deemed to be guilty of a misdemeanor. The warden shall also have power and authority, by warrant, under his hand, to cause any person or persons who shall be guilty of any riotous, tumultuous, or disorderly conduct at such meeting, to be taken into custody, and restrained; *Provided, however*, that such restraint shall not continue after the adjournment or dissolution of such meeting: *And Provided, further*, that the person, so guilty of such disorderly conduct, shall be liable, notwithstanding such restraint, to be prosecuted and punished, in the same manner, as if such arrest had not been made.

Power of warden to preserve order. 1821, 110, § 4.

Provisoes.

Election of mayor. Ibid, § 5. 1824, 49, § 1. (Adopted by inhabitants, Feb. 25, 1825. Boston Records, vol. 10, p. 505.) R. S. 4, § 12.

VI. The citizens qualified to vote in city affairs, at their respective ward meetings, to be held on the second Monday in December annually, shall be called upon to give in their votes for one able and discreet person, being an inhabitant of the city, to be mayor of said city, for the term of one year. And all the votes so given in, in each ward, being sorted, counted, and declared by the warden and inspectors of elections, shall be recorded at large, by the clerk, in open ward meetings: and in making such declaration and record, the whole number of votes or ballots, given in, shall be distinctly stated, together with the name of every person voted for, and the number of votes given for each person respectively; such numbers to be expressed in words at length: and a transcript of such record, certified and authenticated by the warden, clerk, and a majority of the inspectors of elections for each ward, shall forthwith be transmitted or delivered by such ward clerk, to the clerk of the city. And it shall be the duty of the city clerk, forthwith to enter such returns, or a plain and intelligible abstract of them, as they are successively received, upon the journal of the proceedings of the mayor and aldermen, or some other book to be kept for that purpose. And it shall be the duty of the mayor and aldermen to meet together within two days after such election, and to examine and compare all the said returns, and to ascertain whether any person has a majority of all the votes given for mayor; and in case a majority is so given, it shall be their duty to give notice thereof, in writing, to the person thus elected, and also to make the same known to the inhabitants of said city.

No choice.

But if, on such an examination no person appears to have a majority of all the votes given for mayor, the mayor and aldermen for the time being, shall issue their warrants for meetings of the respective wards, for the choice of a mayor, at such time and place, as they shall judge most convenient; and the same proceedings shall be had in all respects, as are herein before directed, until a mayor shall be chosen by a majority of all the voters, voting at such elections. And in case of the decease, inability, or absence of the mayor, and the same being declared and a vote passed by the al-

Decease, inability or absence of mayor.

dermen and common council, respectively, declaring such cause, and the expediency of electing a mayor, for the time being, to supply the vacancy thus occasioned, it shall be lawful for the aldermen and common council to meet in convention, and elect a mayor to hold the said office until such occasion shall be removed, or until a new election.

Proceedings in case of no choice of mayor before the commencement of the municipal year. 1830, 7, § 1. (Adopted by citizens, June 16, 1830. Boston Records, vol 10, p. 516.)

VII. Whenever, on examination by the mayor and aldermen of the returns of votes given for mayor at the meetings of the wards holden for the purpose of electing that officer, last preceding the first Monday of January, in each year, no person shall appear to have a majority of all the votes given for mayor, the mayor and aldermen, by whom such examination is made, shall make a record of that fact, an attested copy of which it shall be the duty of the city clerk to produce and read, on the first Monday of January, in the presence of the members returned to serve as aldermen and common councilmen; and thereupon the oaths prescribed by law may be administered to the members elect by any one of the justices of the supreme judicial court, or any judge of any court of record holden in said city, or by any justice of the peace for the county of Suffolk; and thereupon the members of the board of aldermen shall proceed to elect a chairman, and the common council a president, in their respective chambers, and being respectively organized, shall proceed to business in the same manner as is provided in the seventeenth section below, in case of the absence of the mayor:—and the board of aldermen shall forthwith issue their warrants for meetings of the citizens of the respective wards, for the choice of a mayor, at such time and place as they shall judge most convenient; and the same proceedings shall be had, in all respects, as are directed in and by the provisions of the preceding section and repeated from time to time, until a mayor shall be chosen, by a majority of all the voters voting at such elections.

Refusal of mayor elect to accept. 1830, 7, § 2. Ibid.

VIII. In case any person elected mayor of the city shall refuse to accept the office, the same proceedings shall be had in all respects, as are herein before directed in cases wherein there has been no choice of mayor, until a mayor be chosen by a majority of votes. And in case of the unavoidable absence by sickness or otherwise, of the mayor elect, on the first Monday in January, the city government shall organize itself in the mode herein before provided, and may proceed to business in the same manner as if the mayor were present.

Absence of mayor elect.

Proceedings in case no mayor is chosen, or a full board of aldermen is not elected. 1845, 217, § 1. (Adopted by city council, Oct. 6, 1845. City Records, vol. 23, p. 406.)

IX. Whenever it shall appear, by the regular returns of the elections of the city officers, that a mayor has not been chosen, or that a full board of aldermen has not been elected, such of the board of aldermen, whether they constitute a quorum or not, as may have been chosen, shall issue their warrant, in usual form, for the election of a mayor, or such members of the board of aldermen as may be necessary, and the same proceedings shall be had and repeated, until the election of a mayor and aldermen shall be completed, and all vacancies be filled in the said board; and in case neither a mayor nor any aldermen shall be elected at the usual time for electing the same, and after the powers of the former mayor, and mayor and aldermen, shall have ceased, it shall be the duty of the president of the common council, to issue his warrant, in the same manner as the board of aldermen would have done, if elected, and the same proceedings shall be had and repeated, until a mayor, or one or more aldermen, shall be elected.

In case neither a mayor nor any alderman is elected.

Who is to discharge the duties when no mayor is elected. 1845, 217, § 4. Ibid.

X. In case of the non-election of a mayor, the chairman of the board of aldermen shall discharge all the duties incumbent on the mayor of the city, prescribed by the city charter, or any other law, or any ordinance of the city, which now or hereafter may be required of him, until a mayor shall be chosen and duly sworn to the discharge of his duties; and such chairman, with the board of aldermen,

shall discharge all the duties incumbent on the mayor and aldermen.

Election of aldermen. 1821, 110, § 6. 1824, 49, § 1. (Adopted by citizens, Feb. 25, 1825. Boston Records, vol. 10, p. 505.)

XI. The citizens in their respective ward meetings, to be held on the second Monday of December, annually, shall be called upon to give in their votes for eight persons, being inhabitants of said city, to constitute the board of aldermen, for the ensuing year; and all the votes so given, being sorted, counted, and declared by the warden and inspectors shall be recorded at large, by the clerk, in open ward meeting; and in making such declaration and record, the whole number of votes or ballots given in shall be particularly stated, together with the name of every person voted for, and the number of votes given for each person; and a transcript of such record, certified by the warden, and clerk, and a majority of the inspectors of each ward, shall, by the said clerk, within two days, be transmitted to the city clerk; whereupon the same proceedings shall be had, to ascertain and determine the persons chosen as aldermen, as are herein before directed in regard to the choice of mayor, and for a new election, in case of the whole number required not being chosen at the first election. And each alderman, so chosen, shall be duly notified in writing of his election by the mayor and aldermen for the time being.

Death or resignation of aldermen. 1824, 28, § 6.

XII. In case of the death or resignation of any member of the board of aldermen, the citizens of Boston shall have power to fill such vacancy, at any regular meeting that may thereafter be convened for that purpose.

Vacancy in board of aldermen, common council, or other offices. 1845, 217, § 2. (Accepted by city council, Oct. 6, 1845. City Records, vol 23, p. 406.)

XIII. Whenever it shall appear to the mayor and aldermen, that there is a vacancy in either the board of aldermen, or in the common council, or in any of the city or ward offices, it shall be the duty of the mayor and aldermen to issue their warrant for elections, in due form, to fill all such vacancies in each and all of the said boards and

offices, at such time and place as in their judgment may be deemed advisable.

Election of common council. 1821, 110, § 7. 1824, 49, § 1. (Adopted by citizens, Feb. 25, 1825. Boston Records, vol. 10, p. 505.)

XIV. The citizens of each ward, qualified to vote as aforesaid, at their respective ward meetings, to be held on the second Monday of December, annually, shall be called upon to give in their votes for four able and discreet men, being inhabitants of said ward, to be members of the common council; and all the votes given in as aforesaid, in each ward, being sorted, counted, and declared by the warden and inspectors, if it appear that four persons have a majority of all the votes given at such election, a public declaration thereof, with the names of the persons so chosen, shall be made in open ward meeting, and the same shall be entered at large, by the clerk of such ward, in his journal, stating particularly the whole number of votes given in, the number necessary to make a choice, and the number actually given for each of the persons, so declared to be chosen.

No choice.

But, in case four persons, are not chosen at the first ballot, a new ballot shall be opened for a number of common councilmen, sufficient to complete the number of four; and the same proceedings shall be had, as before directed, until the number of four shall be duly chosen; *Provided, however*, that if the said elections cannot conveniently be completed on such day, the same may be adjourned to another day, for that purpose, not longer distant than three days.

Adjournment.

Certificate of elections.

And each of the persons so chosen as a member of the common council, in each ward, shall, within two days of his election, be furnished with a certificate thereof, signed by the warden, clerk and a majority of the inspectors of such ward; which certificate shall be presumptive evidence of the title of such person to a seat in the common council; but such council, however, shall have authority to decide ultimately upon all questions relative to the qualifications, elections, and returns of its members.

Council shall decide questions of elections, &c.

Qualifications of voters at muni-

XV. Every male citizen of twenty-one years of age and upwards, excepting paupers, and persons under guardian-

ship, who shall have resided within the commonwealth one year, and within the city six months next preceding any meeting of citizens, either in wards, or in general meeting, for municipal purposes, and who shall have paid by himself or his parent, master, or guardian, any state or county tax, which, within two years next preceding such meeting, shall have been assessed upon him, in any town or district in this commonwealth, and also every citizen who shall be, by law, exempted from taxation, and who shall be in all other respects qualified as above mentioned, shall have a right to vote at such meeting, and no other person shall be entitled to vote at such meeting.

cipal elections, &c. 1821, 110, § 8.

XVI. The mayor, aldermen, and common councilmen, chosen as aforesaid, shall enter on the duties of their respective offices on the first Monday of January, and before entering on the duties of their offices, shall respectively be sworn, by taking the oath of allegiance and oath of office, prescribed in the constitution of this commonwealth, and an oath to support the constitution of the United States. And such oaths may be administered to the mayor elect, by any one of the justices of the supreme judicial court, or any judge of any court of record, commissioned to hold any such court, within the said city, or by any justice of the peace for the county of Suffolk. And such oaths shall and may be administered to the aldermen and members of the common council, by the mayor, being himself first sworn as aforesaid; and a certificate of such oaths having been taken shall be entered in the journal of the mayor and aldermen, and of the common council, respectively by their respective clerks.[1]

Commencement of municipal year. 1821, 110, § 9. 1824, 49, § 2. (Adopted by citizens, Feb. 25, 1825. Boston Records, vol. 10, p. 505.)

Oath of office.

XVII. The mayor and aldermen, thus chosen and qualified, shall compose one board, and shall sit and act together

Mayor and aldermen to compose one board. 1821, 110, § 10.

[1] The statute of 1824, c. 49, § 2, cited in the margin of § XVI in the text provides that all the officers chosen on the second Monday of December by virtue of said act, shall enter on the duties of their respective offices on the first Monday of January in each year. This provision includes not only the mayor, aldermen and common councilmen, but also the wardens, clerks of the wards, inspectors of elections, overseers of the poor and school committee.

See also 1845, 217, § 4, and 1846, 50.

as one body, at all meetings, of which the mayor, if present, shall preside; but in his absence, the board may elect a chairman, for the time being. The said board, together with the common council, in convention, shall have power

City clerk.

to choose a clerk, who shall be sworn to the faithful discharge of the duties of his office, who shall be chosen for the term of one year, and until another person is duly chosen to succeed him; removable, however, at the pleasure of the mayor and aldermen; who shall be denominated the clerk of the city, and whose duty it shall be to keep a jour-

His powers and duties.

nal of the acts and proceedings of the said board, composed of the mayor and aldermen; to sign all warrants issued by them, and to do such other acts in his said capacity, as may, lawfully and reasonably, be required of him; and to deliver over all journals, books, papers, and documents entrusted to him as such clerk, to his successor in office, immediately upon such successor being chosen and qualified as aforesaid, or whenever he may be thereto required by the said mayor and aldermen. And the city clerk thus chosen and qualified, shall have all the powers, and perform all the duties belonging, at the time of the act of incorporation, to the town clerk of the town of Boston, as if the same were particularly and fully enumerated, except in cases where it is otherwise expressly provided.

Common council a separate body. 1821, 110, § 11.

XVIII. The persons so chosen and qualified, as members of the common council of the said city, shall sit and act together as a separate body, distinct from that of the mayor and aldermen, except in those cases in which the two bodies are to meet in convention: and the said council shall have power, from time to time, to choose one of their

President.

own members to preside over their deliberations, and to

Clerk.

preserve order therein, and also to choose a clerk, who shall be under oath faithfully to discharge the duties of his office, who shall hold such office, during the pleasure of said council, and whose duty it shall be to attend said council, when the same is in session, to keep a journal of its acts, votes, and proceedings, and to perform such other services, in said

capacity, as said council may require. All sittings of the common council shall be public; also all sittings of the mayor and aldermen, when they are not engaged in executive business. Twenty-five members of the common council shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

Sittings to be public.

Quorum.

XIX. The mayor of the said city, thus chosen and qualified, shall be taken and deemed to be the chief executive officer of said corporation; and he shall be compensated for his services by a salary, to be fixed by the board of aldermen and common council, in city council convened, payable at stated periods; which salary shall not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars annually, and he shall receive no other compensation or emoluments whatever; and no regulations enlarging or diminishing such compensation shall be made, to take effect until the expiration of the year, for which the mayor then in office, shall have been elected. And it shall be the duty of the mayor to be vigilant and active at all times, in causing the laws for the government of said city to be duly executed and put in force; to inspect the conduct of all subordinate officers in the government thereof, and as far as in his power to cause all negligence, carelessness, and positive violation of duty to be duly prosecuted and punished. He shall have power, whenever in his judgment, the good of said city may require it, to summon meetings of the board of aldermen and common council, or either of them, although the meeting of said boards, or either of them may stand adjourned to a more distant day. And it shall be the duty of the mayor, from time to time, to communicate to both branches of the city council all such information, and recommend all such measures as may tend to the improvement of the finances, the police, health, security, cleanliness, comfort, and ornament of the said city.

Compensation of the mayor. 1821, 110, § 12.

His powers and duties.

XX. The administration of police together with the executive powers of the said corporation generally, together also with all the powers heretofore vested in the selectmen of the town of Boston, either by the general laws of this

Powers and duties of mayor and aldermen. 1821, 110, § 13. 1832, 166, repealed by Rev. Stat.

2 Metc. 220. 15 Pick. 243.

commonwealth, by particular laws relative to the powers and duties of said selectmen, or by the usages, votes or by-laws of said town, are vested in the mayor and aldermen, as hereby constituted, as fully and amply as if the same were herein specially enumerated.

May license theatrical exhibitions, &c. 1821, 110, § 14. But see 1849, 231, § 1, 2. 9 Pick. 415.

XXI. The mayor and aldermen shall have power to license all theatrical exhibitions, and all public shows, and all exhibitions of whatever name or nature, to which admission is obtained on payment of money, on such terms and conditions as to them may seem just and reasonable; and to regulate the same, from time to time, in such manner as to them may appear necessary to preserve order and decorum, and to prevent interruption of peace and quiet. And any person or persons who shall set forth, establish, or promote any such exhibition or show, or publish, or advertise the same, or otherwise aid or assist therein, without a license so obtained as aforesaid, or contrary to the terms or conditions of such license, or whilst the same is suspended, or after the same is revoked by said mayor and aldermen, shall be liable to such forfeiture, as the city council may, by any by-law made for that purpose prescribe.[1]

May be chosen surveyors of highways. 1823, 2.

XXII. The city council have the power and authority of electing, if they see fit, the mayor and aldermen, surveyors of highways for the city.

May have the powers of county commissioners except, &c. R. S. 24, § 54.

XXIII. In the county of Suffolk, the mayor and aldermen of the city of Boston shall, within the said city, have the like powers and perform the like duties, as are exercised and performed by the commissioners of other counties, saving to any party aggrieved the right of trial by jury in the court of common pleas, in cases of the laying out, altering and discontinuing of ways, and assessing damages therefor.

Ibid, § 55. Ibid, 14, § 29.

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[1] This section appears to be superseded by stat. 1849, c. 231. See Amusements.

XXIV. All other powers by law vested, at the time of the act of incorporation, in the town of Boston, or in the inhabitants thereof, as a municipal corporation, are vested in the mayor and aldermen, and common council of the said city, to be exercised by concurrent vote, each board, as hereby constituted, having a negative upon the other. More especially they shall have power to make all such needful and salutary by-laws, as towns by the laws of this commonwealth have power to make and establish, and to annex penalties, not exceeding twenty dollars, for the breach thereof, which by-laws shall take effect and be in force from and after the times therein respectively limited, without the sanction or confirmation of any court, or other authority whatsoever: *Provided*, that such by-laws shall not be repugnant to the constitution and laws of this commonwealth;[1] *And provided also*, that the same shall be liable to be annulled by the legislature thereof. The said city council shall also have power, from time to time, to lay and assess taxes for all purposes, for which towns are by law required or authorized to assess and grant money,[2] and also for all

Powers of city council. 1821, 110, § 15.

By-laws.

Provisoes.

Assessment of taxes.

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[1] For general powers of city councils to make by-laws, see Ordinances and By-laws. See also stat. 1847, c. 262.

[2] The city council are the agents and trustees of the inhabitants of Boston, with a limited authority; they can perform no act in the execution of their trust, unless warranted by some general or special law of the commonwealth, either in express terms or by reasonable inference. The general authority of towns to raise money by the assessment of taxes on the inhabitants, was given by the statute of 1785, ch. 75, § 7, "for the settlement, maintenance and support of the ministry, schools, the poor, and other necessary charges arising within the same town," the most of which provision is re-enacted in the Revised Statutes, ch. 15, § 12. The only difficulty in the construction of this provision has been as to what are "other necessary charges," for which towns are authorized to raise money. Upon this point there have been several decisions. In the case of *Stetson v. Kempton*, (13 Massachusetts Reports, 272,) it was held, that towns have no authority in time of war and hostile invasion, to raise money to give additional wages to the militia and for other purposes of defence. The court say, that the erection of public buildings for the accommodation of the inhabitants, such as town houses to assemble in, and market houses for the sale of provisions, may also be a proper town charge, and may come within the fair meaning of the term *necessary*, for these may be essential to

1822, 85.

purposes, for which county taxes may be levied and assessed so long as the town of Chelsea shall not be liable to taxation therefor; *Provided, however*, that in the assessment and

Proviso.

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the comfort and convenience of the citizens. But it cannot be supposed that the building of a theatre, a circus, or any other place of mere amusement, at the expense of the town, could be justified under the term *necessary town charges*. Nor could the inhabitants be lawfully taxed for the purpose of raising a statue or a monument, these being matters of taste and not of necessity; unless in populous and wealthy towns, they should be thought suitable ornaments to buildings or squares, the raising and maintenance of which are within the duty and care of the governors or officers of such towns. In *Allen v. Inhabitants of Taunton*, (19 Pick. Rep. 485,) it was held, that a town is authorized to appropriate money for the repair of fire engines, used for the purpose of extinguishing fires therein, whether they belong to the town or were purchased by private subscription; and in the case of *Hardy v. Inhabitants of Waltham*, (3 Metcalf's Rep. 163,) it was held, that a town has authority to appropriate money for the construction of reservoirs for water to supply fire engines. In the case of *Spaulding v. City of Lowell*, (23 Pick. Rep. 71,) it was held, that cities and towns in this commonwealth, by virtue of their general powers, have authority in their corporate capacity, to build a market house, to appropriate money therefor, and to assess the same upon the inhabitants, "To bring any particular subject," the court remark, "within this description of necessary town charges, it must appear to be money necessary to the execution of some corporate power, the enjoyment of some corporate right, or the performance of some corporate duty, as established by law, or *long usage*." A town has no authority to raise money to aid in the construction of a road which by law is to be made at the expense of the county, and consequently a tax laid by the town for the purpose of collecting the money is illegal and void. A vote by a town appointing a committee to appropriate money for constructing such road, is an illegal and void act; and a contract for constructing it entered into by the committee in behalf of the town, will not be binding upon the town. *Parsons v. Inhabitants of Goshen*, (11 Pick. Rep. 396.) A town has authority to provide for the support of a public clock, and to assess the expense thereof upon the inhabitants of the town. *Willard v. Inhabitants of Newburyport*, (12 Pick Rep. 227.) A town is authorized to indemnify its officers, against any liability which they may incur in the bona fide discharge of their duties, although it turn out that they have exceeded their legal rights and authority. *Nelson v. Milford*, (7 Pick. Rep. 18); *Bancroft v. Lynnfield*, (18 ibid, 566.) By the act of 1847, ch. 37, whenever any city or town shall have voted to raise by taxation, or by pledge of its credit, or to pay over, from moneys in its treasury, any sum or sums of money, for any other purpose or purposes, than those for which it may have the legal right and power so to do, the supreme judicial court is authorized to interfere and prevent the same, upon the suit or petition of any ten inhabitants of such city or town who are liable to be taxed therein.

apportionment of all such taxes upon the polls and estates of all persons liable to contribute thereto, the same rules and regulations shall be observed as are now established by the laws of this commonwealth, or may be hereafter enacted, relative to the assessment and apportionment of town taxes. The said city council shall also have power to provide for the assessment and collection of such taxes, and to make appropriations of all public moneys, and provide for the disbursement thereof, and take suitable measures to ensure a just and prompt account thereof; and for these purposes, may either elect such assessors, and assistant assessors, as may be needful, or provide for the appointment or election of the same, or any of them, by the mayor and aldermen, or by the citizens, as in their judgment may be most conducive to the public good, and may also require of all persons entrusted with the collection, custody, or disbursement of public moneys, such bonds with such conditions and such sureties, as the case may in their judgments require.

Collection of taxes.

Assessors to be chosen.

Bonds, &c., may be required.

XXV. The said city council shall have power, and they are authorized to provide for the appointment or election of all necessary officers, for the good government of said city, not otherwise provided for; to prescribe their duties, and fix their compensation, and to choose a register of deeds, whenever the city shall compose one county. The city council also shall have the care and superintendence of the public buildings, and the care, custody, and management of all the property of the city, with power to lease or sell the same, except the common and Faneuil Hall, with power also to purchase property, real or personal, in the name, and for the use of the city, whenever its interest or convenience may in their judgment require it.

City council may provide for the appointment of city officers. 1821, 110, § 16.

Register of deeds.

Care and custody of city property.

Power to purchase property.

XXVI. All the power and authority by law vested, at the time of the act of incorporation, in the board of health for the town of Boston, relative to the quarantine of vessels, and relative to every other subject whatsoever, shall be and the same is hereby transferred to, and vested in the said city council, to be carried into execution by the ap-

Board of health. 1821, 110, § 17. 12 Pick. 184.

pointment of health commissioners, or in such other manner as the health, cleanliness, comfort, and order of the city may, in their judgment, require, subject to such alterations as the legislature may from time to time adopt.[1] The mayor and aldermen of said city, and the said common council shall as soon as conveniently may be, after their annual organization, meet together in convention, and elect some suitable and trustworthy person to be the treasurer of said city, who shall also be county treasurer.

City treasurer. 1821, 110, § 18.

County treasurer. R. S. 14, § 47.

Overseers of the poor. 1821, 110, § 19. 1824, 49, § 1. (Adopted by citizens, Feb. 25, 1825. Boston Records, vol. 10, p. 505.)

XXVII. The citizens at their respective ward meetings, to be held on the second Monday of December annually, shall elect by ballot one person in each ward, to be an overseer of the poor; and the persons thus chosen shall together constitute the board of overseers for said city, and shall have all the powers and be subject to all the duties, by law appertaining, at the time of the act of incorporation, to the overseers of the poor for the town of Boston, until the same shall be altered or qualified by the legislature.[2]

School committee. 1835, 128, § 1. (Adopted by citizens in ward meetings, April 29, 1835. Records of returns of votes from the wards, April 29, 1835.)

1821, 110, § 19.

XXVIII. The school committee of the city of Boston shall consist of the mayor, of the president of the common council, and of twenty-four other persons, two of whom shall be chosen in each ward, and who shall be inhabitants of the wards in which they are chosen; said twenty-four members to be chosen by the inhabitants at their annual election of municipal officers; and said school committee shall have the care and superintendence of the public schools.

Accountability of all boards and officers for public money. 1821, 110, § 20.

XXIX. All boards, and officers, acting under the authority of the said corporation, and entrusted with the expenditure of public money, shall be accountable therefor

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[1] See Revised Statutes, c. 21, § 2, repealed by stat. 1847. c. 229. See also stat. 1849, c 211.

[2] As to the corporate power of the overseers of the poor of Boston, see *Overseers of the Poor of Boston v. Sears.* (22 Pick. Rep. 122.)

to the city council in such manner as they may direct. And it shall be the duty of the city council to publish and distribute, annually, for the information of the citizens, a particular statement of the receipts and expenditures of all public moneys, and a particular statement of all city property.

Annual financial statement.

XXX. In all cases in which appointments to office are directed to be made by the mayor and aldermen, the mayor shall have the exclusive power of nomination; such nomination, however, being subject to be confirmed or rejected by the board of aldermen: *Provided, however*, that no person shall be eligible to any office, the salary of which is payable out of the city treasury, who at the time of his appointment, shall be a member either of the board of aldermen or common council.

Mayor may nominate certain officers. 1821, 110, § 21.

Members of city council not eligible to salaried office.

XXXI. It shall be the duty of the two branches of the city council, in the month of October, in each year, after their annual organization, to meet in convention and determine the number of representatives, which it may be expedient for the corporation to send to the general court in such year, within its constitutional limits, and to publish such determination, which shall be conclusive; and the number thus determined shall be specified in the warrant calling a meeting for the election of representatives; and neither the mayor, nor any aldermen, or members of the common council, shall, at the same time, hold any other office under the city government.

Number of representatives to general court. 1821, 110, § 22. 1831, 38.

Members of city council to hold no other office, &c.

XXXII. All city officers, after their election, shall be held to discharge the duties to which they have been elected, being residents of the ward at the time of their election, notwithstanding their removal afterwards out of their ward into any other ward of the city.

Officers to discharge their duties notwithstanding removal into other wards. 1845, 217, § 5. (Adopted by city council. City Records, vol. 23, p. 406.

XXXIII. All elections for governor, lieutenant governor, senators, representatives, representatives to congress,

Elections of national and state officers. 1821, 110, § 23.

R. S. 5, § 11; 6, § 9, 18. and all other officers, who are to be chosen and voted for by the people, shall be held at meetings of the citizens qualified to vote in such elections, in their respective wards, at the time fixed by law for those elections respectively. And at such meetings, all the votes given in, being collected, sorted, counted, and declared by the inspectors of elections, in each ward, it shall be the duty of the clerk of such ward to make a true record of the same, specifying therein the whole number of ballots given in, the name of each person voted for, and the number of votes for each, expressed in words at length. And a transcript of such record, certified by the warden, clerk, and a majority of the inspectors of elections in such ward, shall forthwith be transmitted or delivered by each ward clerk to the clerk of the city. And it shall be the duty of the city clerk forthwith to enter such returns, or a plain and intelligible abstract of them, as they are successively received, in the journals of the proceedings of the mayor and aldermen, or in some other book kept for that purpose. And it shall be the duty of the mayor and aldermen to meet together within two days after every such election, and examine and compare all the said returns, and thereupon to make out a certificate of the result of such election, to be signed by the mayor and a majority of the aldermen, and also by the city clerk, which shall be transmitted, delivered or returned, in the same manner as similar returns are by law directed to be made by the selectmen of towns; and such certificates and returns shall have the same force and effect in all respects, as like returns of similar elections made by the selectmen of towns. At the election of governor, lieutenant governor, and senators, it shall be the duty of the mayor and aldermen to make and seal up separate lists of persons voted for as governor, lieutenant governor, and senators of the commonwealth, with the number of votes for each person, written in words at length against his name, and to transmit said lists to the secretary of the commonwealth or to the sheriffs of their respective counties. The mayor and aldermen shall, within three days next after the

Examination and return of votes.

Certificate.

Separate lists of votes for governor, &c. to be transmitted to the secretary or to sheriffs. R. S. 5, § 1.

Votes for electors of president, &c., how and

day of any election of electors of president and vice president of the United States, held by virtue of the laws of this commonwealth, or of the United States, deliver, or cause to be delivered the lists of votes therefor, sealed up, to the sheriff of the county, and the said sheriff shall within four days after receiving said lists, transmit the same to the office of the secretary of the commonwealth, or the said mayor and aldermen may, and when the office of sheriff is vacant, he or they shall themselves transmit the said lists to the said office within seven days after the election, and all votes not so transmitted shall be rejected. In all elections for representatives to the general court, in case the whole number proposed to be elected shall not be chosen by a majority of the votes legally returned, the mayor and aldermen shall forthwith issue their warrant for a new election, and the same proceedings shall be had in all respects as are herein before directed, until the whole number shall be elected.[1]

when to be transmitted to the secretary. 1844, 167, § 1.

Proceedings in case representatives are not chosen.

XXXIV. Prior to every election of city officers, or of any officer or officers under the government of the United States or of this commonwealth, it shall be the duty of said mayor and aldermen to make out lists of all the citizens of each ward qualified to vote in such election, in the manner in which selectmen and assessors of towns are required to make out similar lists of voters, and for that purpose they shall have free access to the assessors' books and lists, and be entitled to the aid and assistance of all assessors, assistant assessors, and other officers of said city. And it shall be the duty of said mayor and aldermen to deliver such list of the voters in each ward, so prepared and corrected, to the clerk of said ward, to be used by the warden and inspectors thereof at such election; and no person shall be

Mayor and aldermen to make lists of voters prior to every election. 1821, 110, § 24. R. S. 3.

[1] This section of the city charter contains also a provision for taking the sense of the town upon the question, whether the election for State and United States officers should be holden in general meeting; which question was decided by the inhabitants in the negative, at a meeting held Monday, March 4, 1822. See Boston Records, vol. 10, p. 457.

entitled to vote at such election, whose name is not borne on such list. And to prevent all frauds and mistakes in such elections, it shall be the duty of the inspectors, in each ward, to take care that no person shall vote at such election, whose name is not so borne on the list of voters, and to cause a mark to be placed against the name of each voter on such list, at the time of giving in his vote.

Inspectors to allow no one to vote whose name is not on the list.

Duties of ward officers at all elections. 1845, 217, § 3. (Adopted by city Council. City Records, vol. 23, p. 406.)

XXXV. It shall be the duty of all ward officers authorized to preside and act at elections of city officers to attend and perform their respective duties, at the times and places appointed for elections of any officers, whether of the United States, state, city, or wards, and to make and sign the regular returns of the same.

General meetings of the citizens. 1821, 110, § 25.

XXXVI. General meetings of the citizens, qualified to vote in city affairs, may from time to time be held to consult upon the common good, to give instructions to their representatives, and to take all lawful measures to obtain a redress of any grievances, according to the right secured to the people by the constitution of this commonwealth. And such meetings shall and may be duly warned by the mayor and aldermen, upon the requisition of fifty qualified voters of said city.

Warrants for meetings to be issued by mayor and aldermen. 1821, 110, § 26.

XXXVII. All warrants for the meetings of the citizens, for municipal purposes to be had either in general meetings or in wards, shall be issued by the mayor and aldermen, and shall be in such form, and shall be served, executed, and returned at such time, and in such manner, as the city council may, by any by-law, direct and appoint.

City of Boston to have all the powers, &c. conferred by charter, &c. R. S. 15, § 86.

XXXVIII. The city of Boston shall continue to have and exercise all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties and liabilities, mentioned in the act establishing said city of Boston, and in the several acts specially relating to said city.

SEAL OF THE CITY.

An Ordinance to establish the City Seal.

Ordinance to establish the city seal. Passed Jan. 2, 1823.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Boston, in City Council assembled, That the design hereto annexed, as sketched by John R. Penniman, giving a view of the city, be the device of the city seal; that the motto be as follows, to wit: "Sicut patribus, sit Deus nobis;" and that the inscription be as follows, to wit: "Bostonia condita, A. D. 1630. Civitatis regimine donata, A. D. 1822."

AMUSEMENTS.

STATUTE.

Mayor and aldermen may license theatrical and other exhibitions, &c. 9 Pick. 415. See *ante*, p. 28. 1849, 231, § 1.

1. The mayor and aldermen of any city, or the selectmen of any town, may license all theatrical exhibitions, public shows, public amusements, and exhibitions of every description, to which admission is obtained upon payment of money, or the delivery of any valuable thing, or by any ticket, or voucher, obtained for money, or any valuable thing, upon such terms and conditions as they shall think reasonable; and they may revoke or suspend the same whenever there shall appear to them to be sufficient cause for such revocation or suspension.

Penalty for exhibition without a license. Ibid, § 2.

2. Any person who shall offer to view, or shall set up, set on foot, maintain, or carry on, or shall publish, or otherwise assist in, or promote any such exhibition, show or amusement, as mentioned in the preceding section, without a license as therein specified, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars for each offence.

Masked balls forbidden, under penalty. Ibid, § 3.

3. Any person who shall get up and set on foot, or cause to be published, or otherwise aid in getting up and promoting any masked ball, or other public assembly, at which the company wear masks, or other disguises, and to which admission is obtained upon payment of money, or the delivery of any valuable thing, or by any ticket or voucher obtained for money, or any valuable thing, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars; and for a repetition of the offence, by imprisonment in the common jail or house of correction, not exceeding one year.

COMMON AND PUBLIC SQUARES.

ORDINANCE OF THE CITY.

SECT. 1. The mayor and aldermen shall have the care and custody of the common, public squares and public fountains of the city, subject to such ordinances as may from time to time be adopted by the city council; but no more money shall be expended on the same than is appropriated for that purpose by the city council.

Mayor and aldermen to have the care and custody of the common, public squares and public fountains. May 13, 1850.

SECT. 2. It shall be lawful for any police officer to remove from the common, or any of the public squares, any person, who is violating any law or ordinance, or is committing any nuisance, or is guilty of any disorderly conduct.

Police officers may remove offenders.

SECT. 3. No person shall ride, lead or drive any horse in or upon the open grounds of the city, called the common, or in or upon any enclosed public square, unless by permission of the mayor and aldermen; provided, however, that on occasion of military exercise, parade or review, the introduction of any horses on the common, which may be necessary for the purpose of such exercise, parade and review, shall not be deemed an infraction of this ordinance.

Horses not to be rode on the common.

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SECT. 4. No person shall dig or carry away any of the sward, gravel, sand, turf or earth in or from any part of the common, common lands, or public squares, except by permission of the mayor and aldermen for some public use.

Sward, gravel, &c. not to be taken from the common.

SECT. 5. No person, except by permission of the mayor and aldermen, shall climb, break, peel, cut, deface, either by posting up bills of any description or otherwise, remove, injure or destroy any of the trees, growing, or which shall hereafter be planted on the common, or either of the malls adjoining the common, or on the common lands of the city, or in any street or public place of the city.

Trees on the common or malls not to be injured &c. See also R. S. 126, § 42.

SECT. 6. No person shall, in any manner, carry or cause to be carried into the common, or common lands, or any public square or place of the city, any dead carcass, ordure,

Filth, &c. not to be placed on the common.

filth, dirt, stones, or any offensive matter or substance whatsoever; and no person shall commit any nuisance in the said common, common lands, or any public square or place of the city.

Carpets, where not to be shaken.

SECT. 7. No person shall shake or otherwise cleanse any carpet on any of the common lands, or in any of the public squares or places, streets, lanes, or alleys of the city, except upon the common; and no person shall shake, or otherwise cleanse any carpet upon the said common, within ten rods of either of the malls or either of the public paths, made under the authority of the city government across the same.

Cattle, &c. not to go at large.

SECT. 8. No owner or keeper of any horse or grazing cattle shall suffer the same to go at large, or to feed upon the common, or common lands, public squares, streets, lanes, or alleys of the city, under the penalty hereinafter provided. And any horse or cattle found at large, in said city, not having a keeper, shall be liable to be impounded by any field driver, and detained by him until the payment of fifty cents, together with the cost and charges of impounding and keeping the same.

When to be impounded.

Penalties.

SECT. 9. Any person who shall offend against any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall forfeit and pay for each offence a sum not less than one nor more than twenty dollars, to be recovered by complaint before the justices of the police court. [*May*, 13, 1850.]

MARSHAL.

ORDINANCE OF THE CITY.

Appointment of city marshal. Sept. 12, 1850.

SECT. 1. There shall be appointed, by the mayor and aldermen, annually, in the month of May or June, and whenever a vacancy occurs, a city marshal, who shall hold his office one year from the time of his appointment, unless removed as is hereinafter provided.

Tenure of office.

To be constable. Ibid.

SECT. 2. The said city marshal shall also be appointed a constable of the city, and shall take the oath and give bond according to law. He shall have precedence and control over all other constables and police officers, whenever engaged in the same service, and whenever directed thereto by the mayor and aldermen.

To be sworn and give bond. Rank.

Additional bond. Ibid.

SECT. 3. The said city marshal, in addition to the bond mentioned in the preceding section, shall give a bond, with sureties, to be approved by the mayor and aldermen, in the sum of one thousand dollars, for the faithful performance of the duties of his office.

Deputies. Ibid.

SECT. 4. The said city marshal, whenever authorized by the mayor and aldermen, may appoint one or more deputies, to be approved by the mayor and aldermen, who shall also be appointed special police officers. They shall assist the city marshal in the duties of his office, and may act for him on all proper occasions, in his absence ; and he shall be responsible for their conduct.

Compensation. Ibid.

SECT. 5. The said city marshal and his deputies shall receive such compensation as the city council may from time to time determine, and they or either of them may be removed from office at any time by the mayor and aldermen.

May be removed

Marshal to attend at his office to receive complaints, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 6. The said city marshal shall attend at his office daily, by himself or his deputy or deputies, at all hours, day and night, including Sundays, for the purpose of receiving all complaints of the inhabitants, respecting offences com-

mitted against the laws, the ordinances of the city, and orders of the mayor and aldermen, and shall be vigilant in detecting any such offences. He shall institute prosecutions against all offenders against such laws, ordinances and orders, without unnecessary delay, and shall attend to the trial of the same, and shall take proper measures for the conviction of such offenders, whenever the same are discovered by him or brought to his notice.

Duty as to prosecutions of offenders.

To keep record. Ibid.

SECT. 7. The said city marshal shall keep a correct record of all the doings of his office, and shall make a regular report thereof to the city council, as often as once in three months, and at such other times as they shall require.

To make report.

Duty as to obstructions in streets. Ibid.

SECT. 8. The said city marshal shall take notice of all nuisances, impediments, and obstructions in the streets, lanes, alleys, courts, public places and squares of the city, and shall remove the same, or take all proper measures in relation thereto according to law, under the direction of the mayor and aldermen.

To enforce ordinances of the city and orders of mayor and aldermen. Ibid.

SECT. 9. The said city marshal shall enforce and carry into effect, to the utmost of his power, all and every of the ordinances of the city and orders of the mayor and aldermen which shall be in force; he shall obey and execute all the commands and orders of the mayor and aldermen, in relation to any matter or thing in which the city may be in any wise concerned or interested; and shall comply with all such regulations, as may at any time be prescribed by the mayor and aldermen. [*Sept.* 12, 1850.]

OFFICERS AND OFFICE HOURS.

ORDINANCE OF THE CITY.

Time and mode of choosing certain officers. Sept. 9, 1850.

SECT. 1. The following city officers shall be chosen annually, in the month of January or February, by concurrent vote of the two branches of the city council, to wit: surveyors of highways, fence viewers, cullers of hoops and staves, field drivers, pound keepers, and inspectors of lime.

Certain provisions to be directory merely. Ibid.

SECT. 2. Whenever any ordinance shall provide for the election of any city officer, at or within a time specified, such provision shall be considered as directory; and an election after the expiration of such time shall be valid.

Committee on public buildings to assign, &c., offices and rooms. Ibid.

SECT. 3. It shall be the duty of the committee on public buildings, under the direction of the mayor and aldermen, to assign and furnish in a proper manner suitable offices and rooms in the public buildings, or to procure the same elsewhere at the expense of the city, for the various city officers.

Office hours of treasurer. Ibid.

SECT. 4. The office hours of the city treasurer shall be from nine of the clock in the forenoon until two of the clock in the afternoon.

Of city clerk, auditor and registrar. Ibid.

SECT. 5. The office hours of the city clerk, the auditor of accounts, and the city registrar, shall be from the first day of April to the first day of October, from eight of the clock in the forenoon until two of the clock in the afternoon, and from three and one half of the clock in the afternoon until six of the clock in the afternoon; and the remainder of the year, from nine of the clock in the forenoon until two of the clock in the afternoon, and from three and one half of the clock until five of the clock in the afternoon.

Of assessors. Ibid.

SECT. 6. The office hours of the assessors shall be the same as those appointed in the next preceding section, except for such portion of the year as they may be necessarily absent, for the purpose of appraising the real and personal property, and obtaining the number of polls, for taxation.

Officers to attend at other times, if required. Ibid.

SECT. 7. Each of the officers before named shall attend the duties of their several offices at such other times as the mayor and aldermen may deem the interest of the city to require.

Duties of city clerk. Ibid.

SECT. 8. The city clerk, under the direction and control of the mayor and aldermen, shall have the care and custody of the city records, and of all documents, maps, plans and papers, respecting the care and custody of which no other provision is made. He shall attend and keep the records at all meetings of the city council. [*Sept.* 9, 1850.]

ORDINANCES.

ORDINANCE OF THE CITY.

Enacting style of city ordinances. Sept. 16, 1850.

SECT. 1. All by-laws of the city shall be denominated ordinances, and the enacting style shall be, "Be it ordained by the mayor, aldermen and common council of the city of Boston, in city council assembled, as follows."

Ordinances to be examined, enrolled and recorded. Ibid.

SECT. 2. All ordinances of the city shall be recorded at length by the city clerk in a book to be kept for that purpose, previous to which they shall be examined by a joint standing committee of the city council on ordinances, who shall certify on the backs of the originals that they are rightly and truly enrolled.

Ordinances, and the orders of mayor and aldermen, to be published. Ibid.

SECT. 3. The ordinances of the city council, and the orders of the mayor and aldermen, shall be published and promulgated by inserting the same two weeks successively in the newspapers published in the city of Boston, wherein are printed the laws of the commonwealth for the time being, and in such other of the newspapers published and printed within the city, as the city council may designate; but this and the second section are directory merely, and a failure to comply with the same shall not affect the validity of any order or ordinance.

This provision to be directory merely.

Fines to enure to the use of the city, except, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 4. All fines and penalties for the violation of any of the ordinances of the city council, or any of the orders of the mayor and aldermen, when recovered, shall enure to the use of the city, and shall be paid into the city treasury, except in those cases where it may be otherwise provided by the acts of the legislature, or the ordinances of the city.

When this ordinance shall take effect. Ibid.

SECT. 5. This ordinance shall take effect on the first day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one. [*Sept.* 16, 1850.]

PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

ORDINANCE OF THE CITY.

Committee on public buildings to be appointed. July 1, 1850.

SECT. 1. In the month of January in each year there shall be appointed a joint committee of the city council, to be called the committee on public buildings, to consist of three members of the board of mayor and aldermen, and five members of the common council.

To have care and custody of school houses and other city buildings, except, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 2. The said committee shall have the care and custody of all the school houses and other buildings belonging to the city, and of the erection, alteration and repair thereof, except as otherwise provided in this, and other ordinances of the city, and subject to such rules, orders and regulations as the city council may from time to time adopt.

To lease buildings belonging to city, subject, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 3. The said committee are authorized to lease any building belonging to the city, which is not otherwise appropriated, for any period not exceeding three years, and upon such terms and conditions as they may deem expedient, subject, however, to the approval of the board of mayor and aldermen; and in such case the lease shall be signed and executed by the mayor.

Lease to be signed by mayor.

Committee to prepare plans and specifications of buildings to be erected, altered, or repaired. Ibid.

SECT. 4. Whenever any building for the use of the city shall be erected, altered or repaired, the expense of which may exceed the sum of five hundred dollars, it shall be the duty of the committee that may have charge of the same, to prepare, or cause to be prepared, the requisite plans and specifications of the work to be done.

To publish notice of time and place for exhibition of same. Ibid.

SECT. 5. The said committee shall give notice in the newspapers in which the ordinances of the city are published, of the time and place for the exhibition of such plans and specifications, as may be necessary to enable contractors to make their estimates of the proposed work.

Proposals for work to be sealed. Ibid.

SECT. 6. No proposal shall be received by the said committee, from any person offering to contract for such

How opened.

work, unless the same is sealed; and no proposal shall be opened except in committee actually assembled; and the

Not to be disclosed till contract is made.

contents of no proposal shall be made known to any person not a member of the committee, until after a contract shall

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have been made; provided, always, that if any such proposals shall be offered by persons, who, in the judgment of the said committee, shall be incompetent to perform their contracts in a workmanlike manner, or irresponsible in respect to their means of faithfully executing the same, the said committee may, in their discretion, reject any such proposal, notwithstanding the same be at a lower rate than other proposals offered for the same work.

Contracts exceeding $500, to be in writing, and signed by the mayor. Ibid. Not to be altered, unless, &c.

SECT. 7. In all cases where the amount of any contract shall exceed the sum of five hundred dollars, the contract shall be in writing, and signed by the mayor on the part of the city; and, after being signed by the parties, no such contract shall be altered in any particular, unless three-fourths of the said committee shall signify their assent thereto in writing under their respective signatures, indorsed on the said contract.

Expenditures not to exceed appropriations. Ibid.

SECT. 8. The amount of expenditures for the foregoing purposes in any one year, shall never exceed the appropriations made by the city council for the same; and no expenditure exceeding two hundred dollars shall ever be made, in the alteration or repair of any building, without an express vote of the city council authorizing the same.

Purchases of land for erecting buildings, to be made under direction of committee. Ibid.

SECT. 9. Whenever the city council shall order the purchase of any land, for the purpose of erecting any building thereon, such purchase shall be made under the direction of the said committee on public buildings.

Certain buildings excepted from preceding section. Ibid.

SECT. 10. The preceding sections shall not apply to the jail, the court house, the registry of deeds, the house of correction, or any other buildings of which the erection, care or maintenance is devolved by law on the mayor and aldermen.

Superintendent of public buildings. Ibid.

SECT. 11. There shall be chosen in the month of April or May, in each year, and whenever a vacancy occurs, by concurrent vote of the two branches of the city council, a

superintendent of public buildings, who shall hold his office until a successor is appointed, or he is removed. He shall be removable at the pleasure of the city council, and shall receive such compensation as the said council may from time to time determine.

To give bond. Ibid.

SECT. 12. The said superintendent, before entering on the duties of his office, shall give bond, with one or more sureties, to the approbation of the mayor and aldermen, with condition that he will not, directly or indirectly, for himself or others, or by others in trust for him, or on his account, have any interest or concern in any contract or agreement for the erection, alteration or repair of any building belonging to the city, or in any purchase, sale or lease made by the city under and by virtue of this ordinance.

Condition of bond.

To have care and custody of school houses and other buildings. Ibid.

SECT. 13. The said superintendent, under the direction of the committee on public buildings, or of the mayor and aldermen as the case may be, shall have the care and custody of all the school houses and other buildings belonging to the city, except as otherwise provided, whether used for county purposes or otherwise; he shall keep himself acquainted with their condition; he shall employ suitable mechanics, and shall himself superintend all repairs that may be ordered on the same; and, in general, he shall render such services as may be required of him, in relation to such buildings, by the mayor and aldermen, by the committee on public buildings, or by any other committee or board appointed by the city council.

His duties.

To keep record. Ibid.

SECT. 14. The said superintendent shall keep an accurate record of all buildings belonging to the city, and lands appurtenant to such buildings; and in the month of January, in each year, he shall present to the city council a report in relation to the same, showing their condition, and the nature and amount of expenditures that shall have been made in relation thereto.

To report to city council.

No building or land appurtenant to be sold without an order from the city council. Ibid.

SECT. 15. No building, or land appurtenant thereto shall be sold by any committee of the city council, without an order from the city council authorizing such sale. [*July* 1, 1850.]

PUBLIC LANDS.

ORDINANCE OF THE CITY.

Committee on public lands to be appointed. July 22, 1850.

SECT. 1. In the month of January, in each year, there shall be appointed a joint committee of the city council, to be called the committee on public lands, to consist of two aldermen and five members of the common council, and of the mayor, who shall be chairman *ex officio*.

To have care and management of public lands. Ibid.

SECT. 2. The said committee shall have the care and management of the public lands belonging to the city, so far as relates to the improvement, sale and disposal of the same, subject to the limitations, mentioned in this and other ordinances of the city, and to such rules, orders and regulations, as the city council may from time to time adopt.

May lay out streets, &c. Ibid.

May lay sewers, &c.

SECT. 3. The said committee are authorized to lay out and make such streets, passage-ways and squares on the public lands, to lay such sewers therein, and to make such alterations in the lots, as they may deem expedient, subject to the approval of the mayor and aldermen.

Superintendent of public lands to be chosen. Ibid.

SECT. 4. There shall be chosen annually in the month of April or May, and whenever a vacancy occurs, by concurrent vote of the two branches of the city council, a superintendent of public lands, who shall hold his office until a successor is appointed, or he is removed. He shall be removable at the pleasure of the city council, and shall receive such compensation as the said council may from time to time determine.

Shall give bond. Ibid.

SECT. 5. The said superintendent, before entering on the duties of his office, shall give bond, with one or more sureties, to the approbation of the mayor and aldermen,

Condition of bond.

with condition that he will not, directly or indirectly, for himself or others, or by others in trust for him, or on his account, have any interest or concern in any purchase, lease, contract or agreement, to be made in pursuance of this ordinance.

SECT. 6. The said superintendent shall devote himself to the care, improvement and sale of the public lands, and, under the direction of the said committee, shall cause them to be surveyed and laid out into convenient lots, and contract for the sale, and actually sell or lease the same, at public or private sale. But this and the third section shall not apply to the common, the land and flats west of Charles street, the city wharf, the lands connected with the public institutions at South Boston, or to any other lands purchased or held for specific purposes, unless by special vote of the city council.

Duties of superintendent. Ibid.

SECT. 7. The said superintendent may, under the direction of the said committee, contract and agree for defraying in part, or in whole, the cost or expense incident to, or arising out of the performance of any acts which he is by this ordinance authorized to do and perform, by transfer of lands to the contracting parties, in lieu of money, when the same can be done with advantage to the city.

May contract to defray expenses by transfer of lands. Ibid.

SECT. 8. The said superintendent shall, at all times perform such services as may be required of him by the mayor and aldermen, in the laying out, alteration or widening of streets, and in the trial or settlement of any and all claims for damages, in consequence of such laying out, alteration or widening, and in the care and improvement of the common and public squares.

His duties in relation to the laying out of streets, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 9. All contracts, deeds, conveyances and leases, made by virtue of this ordinance, shall be signed and executed by the [illegible], in the same manner as if the same were made by order of the city council, and shall be countersigned by the said superintendent.

All contracts, &c., to be signed by the mayor, and countersigned by superintendent. Ibid.

SECT. 10. The said superintendent shall, at least once in three months, and as often as required, make a true and correct report of his proceedings under this ordinance, and exhibit proper schedules and accounts of all lands sold, moneys received and securities taken, to the mayor and aldermen, which shall be by them sent to the common council.

Superintendent to make quarterly reports. Ibid.

To keep record or account of all vacant lands. Ibid.

SECT. 11. The said superintendent shall keep an accurate record or account of all the vacant lands belonging to the city; and whenever any such land shall be purchased by the city, for any purpose, it shall be the duty of the person or persons so purchasing the same, to make report thereof forthwith to the said superintendent.

Moneys, securities, &c., to be paid to and deposited with the treasurer. Ibid.

SECT. 12. All money agreed to be paid by any purchaser or lessee of the public lands, and all notes, bonds, mortgages and securities for moneys, arising or accruing from or in virtue of any contract made by said superintendent, shall be paid to and deposited with the treasurer.

No conveyance to be delivered till purchase money is paid or secured. Ibid.

SECT. 13. No conveyance of any estate in fee or for life in any lands belonging to the city, shall be delivered, until the purchase money is paid, or secured by a mortgage of the same land or other land of equal value; and the mayor may from time to time release to any mortgagor or his assigns, any part of the mortgaged premises, on payment of an equivalent portion of the purchase money. And in all cases where lands other than those sold are proposed to be taken as collateral security, the consent and approbation of the mayor in writing shall be first obtained.

No expenditure, &c., to be made without sanction of city council. Ibid.

SECT. 14. There shall be no expenditure of money, or contract requiring the expenditure of money to be made, under or by virtue of this ordinance, without the sanction of the city council, by an appropriation first made to meet such expenditure. [*July* 22, 1850.]

REGISTRAR.

ORDINANCE OF THE CITY.

City registrar to be chosen. Sept. 9, 1850.

SECT. 1. There shall be chosen in the month of February or March, in each year, and whenever a vacancy occurs, by concurrent vote of the two branches of the city council, a city registrar, who shall hold his office until a successor

is appointed, or he is removed, and who shall be removable at the pleasure of the city council.

To perform duties of clerks and registrars in relation to births, marriages and deaths. Ibid.

SECT. 2. The said city registrar shall perform the duties required by law to be performed by town and city clerks, or town and city registrars, in relation to births, marriages, and deaths; and he shall have the custody of all records, books and papers, belonging to the city, relating to these matters.

To report to city council. Ibid.

SECT. 3. The said city registrar shall, in the month of January, annually, report to the city council a statement of the number of births, of intentions of marriage entered according to law, of marriages solemnized, and of deaths recorded during the previous year, with such other information, and suggestions in relation thereto, as he may deem useful; and he shall perform such other duties as may be required of him by the mayor and aldermen or the city council.

Assistant registrars. Ibid.

SECT. 4. The said city registrar is authorized to employ one or more assistants, to act under his authority and direction, in obtaining information concerning all matters which may legally come under his superintendence.

Compensation of registrar. Ibid.

SECT. 5. The said city registrar shall receive, in full compensation for all his services under the general laws and the ordinances of the city, such salary, and such additional allowance for necessary clerk hire and assistants, as the city council may from time to time determine.

Compensation of undertakers. Ibid.

SECT. 6. The compensation required by law to be paid for obtaining and returning to the city registrar the information required concerning persons deceased, shall be understood as included in the fees, provided to be paid to undertakers, in the fifty-first section of an ordinance relating to the public health, passed on the twentieth day of August, in the year eighteen hundred and fifty; and this section shall be considered as a part of their agreement, in accepting office. [*Sept.* 9, 1850.]

TAXES.

ORDINANCE OF THE CITY.

Assessors to be chosen. Oct. 24, 1850.

SECT. 1. There shall be chosen annually, in the month of March, by concurrent vote of the two branches of the city council, seven assessors of the public taxes; four of whom shall be voted for upon one ballot, and shall devote their whole time to the service of the city, and shall receive such compensation as the city council may determine; and the remaining three shall be voted for on one ballot, and shall receive for their services four dollars per day each, while going through the wards, taking a list of the ratable polls, and estimating the value of real and personal estates; and three dollars per day in full for their services while engaged in other duties of their office. All the said assessors shall serve during the year, and until others are chosen and qualified in their stead.

Their duties and compensation.

Committee to nominate assessors. Ibid.

SECT. 2. In the month of February annually, a committee of the common council, consisting of one member from each ward, shall be appointed, whose duty it shall be to nominate assistant assessors, from the several wards, selecting, as nearly as may be, a just representation from the various callings of the persons to be taxed.

Assistant assessors to be chosen. Ibid.

SECT. 3. In the month of March annually, there shall be chosen, by concurrent vote of the two branches of the city council, twenty-four assistant assessors, two from each ward, who shall serve during the year, and until others are chosen and qualified in their stead; and they shall receive such compensation, in full for all their services, as the city council may determine.

Compensation.

Assessors, &c., may be removed. Ibid.

SECT. 4. Each of the officers mentioned in the preceding sections shall be removable at any time by the city council; and in case of any vacancy, by death, resignation, removal or otherwise, it shall be filled in the manner before provided.

Vacancies to be filled.

Organization of assessors. Ibid.

SECT. 5. The assessors shall meet as soon as practicable after their election, and organize themselves into a board, by the choice of a chairman and secretary, which secretary shall also be the secretary of the board provided for in the next section.

Organization of assessors and assistant assessors. Ibid.

SECT. 6. The assessors and assistant assessors shall meet, as soon as practicable after their election, and organize themselves into a board, by the choice of a chairman; and a majority of the board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. But nothing in this, or the preceding section, shall be construed to restrain the city council from electing one of the assessors to be chairman of both boards, whenever it may see fit so to do.

Secretary to keep records of both boards. Ibid.

SECT. 7. It shall be the duty of the said secretary of the two boards, thus organized, to keep the records of the doings of both boards in the same book, in the order in which the meetings occur, always designating the board whose doings are recorded.

Committee on the assessors department. Ibid.

SECT. 8. A joint committee on the assessors' department, consisting of two of the board of mayor and aldermen, and three of the common council, shall be annually appointed, whose duty it shall be to confer with the assessors, and make such provision for their assistance, as the exigency of that department may from time to time require.

Duties of assistant assessors. Ibid.

SECT. 9. It shall be the duty of one or more of the said assistant assessors to visit, in company with one or more of the assessors, the different estates in their respective wards, and to assist the assessors in taking a list of the polls, in estimating the value of their personal property, and in appraising the value of the real estate.

Chairman of assessors, or other assessor, to remain at assessors' room. Ibid.

SECT. 10. During the season when the assessors are called upon to perform street duty, it shall be the duty of the chairman, or such other assessor as he may designate, to remain at the assessors' room, during office hours, to attend to such business as may be required to be transacted there.

Abatements to be recorded, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 11. Abatements of taxes, which shall be at any time allowed, shall be recorded by the assessors, and the record thereof shall contain the names of all persons whose

taxes shall be abated in whole or in part, with the amount originally assessed, and the amount of abatements; and the reasons for abatement shall be stated on the said record, against the name of each person whose tax shall be abated; and this record shall be laid before the city council, annually, on or before the fourth day of March. And that this record may be perfect, the city clerk is instructed to inform the assessors of all abatements made by the mayor and aldermen, at the time they are made, in all which last mentioned cases the reasons of abatement may be omitted.

Assessors to deliver tax bills to the treasurer on or before Oct. 1. Ibid.

SECT. 12. It shall be the duty of the assessors to make out and deliver, to the treasurer and collector, tax bills for all taxes assessed on all persons and estates, on or before the first day of October, in each year.

How taxes shall be collected. Ibid.

SECT. 13. The city treasurer and collector shall immediately issue the tax bills, and if the same are not paid within thirty days thereafter, he shall issue a summons to each delinquent person assessed; and if such person shall not pay his taxes within ten days after the receipt of such summons, or after the service thereof upon him in the usual form, the said treasurer shall issue his warrant for the collection of said taxes according to law.

Assessors may transfer taxes on real estate to the owner. Ibid.

SECT. 14. The said assessors may, at their discretion, transfer the amount of taxes, assessed on real estate not owned at the time of assessment by the persons charged with such taxes, to the persons by whom the said real estates were owned at the time.

Real estate to be assessed to the owner. Ibid.

SECT. 15. The said assessors shall assess, upon the owners of real estate, lying within the city, the amount of taxes for which such real estate may be taxable: provided,

Proviso.

that, in any case where the assessors may deem it to be more for the public interest to assess the tenant or occupant, instead of the owner, they may so assess such tenant

Further proviso.

or occupant: and provided, also, that nothing herein shall affect the rights which owners and tenants may have, respectively, by reason of any agreement made between themselves concerning such taxes. [*Oct.* 24, 1850.]

TRUANTS.

STATUTE.

Cities and towns empowered to make provisions, &c., concerning truants. 1850, 294, § 1.

1. Each of the several cities and towns, in this commonwealth, is authorized and empowered to make all needful provisions and arrangements concerning habitual truants, and children not attending school, without any regular and lawful occupation, growing up in ignorance, between the ages of six and fifteen years; and, also, all such ordinances and by-laws, respecting such children, as shall be deemed most conducive to their welfare, and the good order of such city or town; and there shall be annexed to such ordinances, suitable penalties, not exceeding, for any one breach, a fine of twenty dollars: *provided*, that said ordinances and by-laws shall be approved by the court of common pleas for the county, and shall not be repugnant to laws of the commonwealth.

They may appoint three or more persons to make complaint to judicial officer, &c. Ibid, § 2.

2. The several cities and towns, availing themselves of the provisions of this act, shall appoint, at the annual meetings of said towns, or annually by the mayor and aldermen of said cities, three or more persons, who alone shall be authorized to make the complaints, in every case of violation of said ordinances or by-laws, to the justice of the peace, or other judicial officer, who, by said ordinances, shall have jurisdiction in the matter, which persons, thus appointed, shall alone have authority to carry into execution the judgments of said justices of the peace, or other judicial officer.

Truants may be placed in an institution of instruction, or house of reformation. Ibid, § 3.

3. The said justices of the peace, or other judicial officers, shall, in all cases, at their discretion, in place of the fine aforesaid, be authorized to order children, proved before them to be growing up in truancy, and without the benefit of the education provided for them by law, to be placed, for such periods of time as they may judge expedient, in such institution of instruction, or house of reformation, or other suitable situation, as may be assigned or pro-

vided for the purpose, under the authority conveyed by the first section, in each city or town availing itself of the powers herein granted.

ORDINANCE OF THE CITY.[1]

Act of 1850, c. 294, respecting truant children, &c., adopted. Oct. 21, 1850.

SECT. 1. The city of Boston hereby adopts the two hundred and ninety-fourth chapter of the laws of the commonwealth for the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty, entitled, "an act concerning truant children and absentees from school," and avails itself of the provisions of the same.

Punishment for truancy, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 2. Any of the persons described in the first section of said act, upon conviction of any offence therein described, shall be punished by fine not exceeding twenty dollars; and the senior justice by appointment, of the police court, shall have jurisdiction of the offences set forth in said act.

Senior justice of police court to have jurisdiction.

House of reformation, &c., to be the institution, &c., mentioned in said act. Ibid.

SECT. 3. The house for the employment and reformation of juvenile offenders is hereby assigned and provided as the institution of instruction, house of reformation, or suitable situation, mentioned in the third section of said act.

WARDS.

ORDINANCE OF THE CITY.

New division of the wards. June 24, 1850.

SECT. 1. The present division of the wards of the city is hereby altered,[2] and a new division thereof is hereby made, and the same shall hereafter be known and constituted as follows, viz:—

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[1] An ordinance concerning truant children and absentees from school, passed October 21, 1850. This ordinance was presented to the court of common pleas for the county of Suffolk, at the October term, 1850, and was approved by the court.

[2] See p. 17, § III, *ante*, as to the power of the city council to alter the divisions of wards.

Boundaries of the wards.

Ward No. 1. Beginning at the water, on the southerly side of the Eastern Packet Pier; thence across Commercial street to Richmond street; thence by the centre of Richmond street, across Hanover street, to Salem street; thence by the centre of Salem street to Cooper street; thence by the centre of Cooper street, crossing Charlestown street, to Beverly street; thence by the centre of Beverly street to Causeway street; thence across Causeway street, and in the same direction with Beverly street, to the water; thence by the water to the point begun at. Ward No. 1.

Ward No. 2. All that part of the city called East Boston, and all the islands in the harbor. Ward No. 2.

Ward No. 3. Beginning at the water, on the north side of the Fitchburg Railroad Depot, on a line which would strike the central line of Beverly street if extended to the water; thence by such line and the centre of Beverly street to Charlestown street; thence across Charlestown street, and by the centre of Cooper street, to Salem street; thence by the centre of Salem street to Richmond street; thence by the centre of Richmond street to Hanover street; thence by the centre of Hanover street to Court street; thence by the centre of Court street to Green street; thence by the centre of Green street to Leverett street; thence by the centre of Leverett street to Causeway street; thence by the centre of Causeway street to Lowell street; thence by the centre of Lowell street, and by a line in the same direction with Lowell street, to the water; thence by the water to the point begun at. Ward No. 3.

Ward No. 4. Beginning at the water, on the southerly side of the Eastern Packet Pier; thence across Commercial street to Richmond street; thence by the centre of Richmond street to Hanover street; thence by the centre of Hanover street to Court street; thence by the centre of Court street to Green street; thence by the centre of Green street to Staniford street; thence by the centre of Staniford street to Cambridge street; thence by the centre of Cambridge street to Temple street; thence by the centre of Temple street, and Mount Vernon street, to Park street; Ward No 4.

thence by the centre of Park street to Tremont street; thence by the centre of Tremont street to Winter street; thence by the centre of Winter street to Washington street; thence by the centre of Washington street to Milk street; thence by the centre of Milk street to India street; thence crossing India street by a straight line, to the water on the south side of Central wharf; thence by the water to the point begun at.

Ward No. 5. Ward No. 5. Beginning at the water at the easterly end of Cambridge Bridge; thence by the centre of Cambridge street to Staniford street; thence by the centre of Staniford street to Green street; thence by the centre of Green street to the junction of Lynde and Leverett streets; thence by the centre of Leverett street to Causeway street; thence by the centre of Causeway street to Lowell street; thence by the centre of Lowell street, and by a line in the same direction with Lowell street, to the water; thence by the water to the point begun at.

Ward No. 6. Ward No. 6. Beginning at the water, at the easterly end of Cambridge Bridge; thence by the centre of Cambridge street to Temple street; thence by the centre of Temple street, and Mount Vernon street, to Beacon street; thence by the centre of Beacon street, and the Western avenue, to the boundary line between Boston and Roxbury, on the Western avenue; thence northerly by said boundary line, to the water; thence by the water to the point begun at.

Ward No. 7. Ward No. 7. Beginning at the water, on the south side of Central wharf; thence across India street, by a straight line, to Milk street; thence by the centre of Milk street to Washington street; thence by the centre of Washington street to Winter street; thence by the centre of Winter street to Tremont street; thence by the centre of Tremont street to West street; thence by the centre of West street, and Bedford street, to Kingston street; thence by the centre of Kingston street to Essex street; thence by the centre of Essex street to South street; thence by the centre of South street to Summer street; thence by the

centre of Summer street, and by a straight line in continuation thereof, to the water, on the northerly side of Summer street wharf; thence by the water to the point begun at.

Ward No. 8. Beginning at the water on the northerly side of Summer street wharf; thence by a straight line in continuation of the centre of Summer street, and by the centre of Summer street to South street; thence by the centre of South street to Essex street; thence by the centre of Essex street to Kingston street; thence by the centre of Kingston street to Bedford street; thence by the centre of Bedford street and West street to Tremont street; thence by the centre of Tremont street to Eliot street; thence by the centre of Eliot street to Washington street; thence across Washington street to Kneeland street; thence by the centre of Kneeland street to Sea street; thence crossing Sea street by a straight line, to the water on the southerly side of Howe's wharf; thence by the water to the point first begun at. Ward No. 8.

Ward No. 9. Beginning at the boundary line between Boston and Roxbury, on the Western avenue; thence by the centre of the Western avenue and Beacon street to Park street; thence by the centre of Park street to Tremont street; thence by the centre of Tremont street to Warren street; thence by the centre of Warren street to Washington street; thence by the centre of Washington street to West Castle street; thence by the centre of West Castle street to Tremont street; thence by the centre of Tremont street to the Railroad bridge; thence by the centre of the Boston and Worcester railroad to the boundary line between Boston and Roxbury; thence by said boundary line to the point begun at. Ward No. 9.

Ward No. 10. Beginning at the water on the southerly side of Howe's wharf; thence by a straight line across Sea street to Kneeland street; thence by the centre of Kneeland street to Washington street; thence across Washington street to Eliot street; thence by the centre of Eliot street to Tremont street; thence by the centre of Tremont Ward No. 10.

street to Warren street; thence by the centre of Warren street to Washington street; thence by the centre of Washington street to Dover street; thence by the centre of Dover street to the water at the northwesterly end of the Boston South Bridge; thence by the water to the point begun at.

Ward No. 11. Ward No. 11. Beginning at the boundary line between Boston and Roxbury, on the Boston and Worcester railroad; thence by the centre of the Boston and Worcester Railroad to the Railroad bridge; thence by the centre of Tremont street to West Castle street; thence by the centre of West Castle street to Washington street; thence by the centre of Washington street to Dover street; thence by the centre of Dover street to the water at the northwesterly end of the Boston South Bridge; thence by the water to the boundary line between Boston and Roxbury; thence by said boundary line to the point begun at.

Ward No. 12. Ward No. 12. All that part of the city called South Boston, and the Boston South Bridge and Boston Free Bridge.

When this ordinance shall take effect. Ibid. SECT. 2. This ordinance shall take effect on and after the second Monday of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty. [*June* 24, 1850.]

WATER.

ORDINANCE OF THE CITY.

Cochituate water board how chosen, &c. Oct. 31, 1850. SECT. 1. There shall be chosen annually, in the month of March or April, by concurrent vote of the two branches of the city council, one alderman, one member of the common council, and five citizens at large, to constitute the Cochituate water board, who shall hold their offices until they are removed or others are chosen in their places; and

they and each of them shall be removable at the pleasure of the city council, and no person shall be chosen as aforesaid for more than five consecutive years.

Their organization. Ibid.

SECT. 2. The persons so chosen shall meet, and organize themselves into a board, by the choice of a president from their own number, and of a clerk, and they may make such rules and regulations for their own government, and in relation to all subordinate officers by them appointed, as they may deem expedient.

Their general powers. Ibid.

SECT. 3. The Cochituate water board shall have and exercise all the powers, vested in the city council by an act of the legislature of Massachusetts, passed on the thirtieth day of March, in the year eighteen hundred and forty-six, entitled an Act for supplying the city of Boston with pure water, and by any acts in addition thereto, so far as the same can be legally delegated; and they shall, more especially, have the power to appoint all necessary subordinate officers, agents and assistants, and may fix their compensation, and of the clerk before mentioned, provided that the same shall not exceed in the whole the sum appropriated therefor by the city council; but all the powers mentioned in this section shall be subject to any limitations and restrictions, contained in the ordinances, regulations and orders of the city council.

To appoint subordinate officers, &c.

To make annual reports. Ibid.

SECT. 4. The Cochituate water board, on or before the fifteenth day of January, annually, shall present to the city council a report, containing a statement of the condition of all the water works, and of the lands and other property connected therewith, with an account of all receipts and expenditures, together with any information or suggestions which they may deem important; and they shall at the same time transmit to the city council the report of the city engineer, and the water registrar, mentioned in the thirteenth and sixteenth sections.

Reports of city engineer and water registrar.

Schedule of water rates. Ibid.

SECT. 5. The Cochituate water board, whenever requested by the city council, shall prepare and send to the city council a schedule of water rates.

Cochituate water board may sell or lease property, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 6. The Cochituate water board are authorized to sell or lease such of the property connected with the water works as they may deem expedient, subject to the approval of the mayor and aldermen; and all necessary deeds and leases shall be executed by the mayor and countersigned by the president of the board.

Bills for expenditures, how drawn, examined, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 7. All bills for expenditures by the Cochituate water board shall be drawn for by the president, examined by the auditor, and approved by the committee of accounts, before they are paid by the treasurer.

Duties of president of the board. Ibid.

SECT. 8. The president of the Cochituate water board shall exercise a general supervision over all the water works, and the materials and property connected therewith and over all subordinate officers and agents. In case of his absence, or inability, his duties may be performed by a president pro tempore, to be chosen by the said board.

City engineer, how chosen, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 9. There shall be chosen annually, in the month of September or October, and whenever a vacancy occurs, by concurrent vote of the two branches of the city council, a city engineer, who shall be a citizen of Boston, and who shall hold his office until a successor is appointed, or he is removed. He shall be removable at the pleasure of the city council, and shall receive such compensation as the said council may from time to time determine.

To have charge of lake, aqueducts, lands, reservoirs, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 10. The city engineer shall take such charge of Lake Cochituate, the aqueducts, lands, reservoirs, and other works and property connected with the water works, as the Cochituate water board may from time to time direct; and he shall perform all such services in relation thereto as may be required of him by the Cochituate water board, or the city council.

To have charge of plans of streets. Ibid. To make all surveys, &c.

SECT. 11. The said city engineer under the direction and control of the mayor and aldermen, shall have charge of all the plans of streets belonging to the city. He shall, by himself or his assistant, for whom he shall be responsible, make all such surveys, admeasurements, and levels, and perform such other services, as may be required of him by

the mayor and aldermen, or any committee of the city council.

SECT. 12. The said city engineer may appoint an assistant, subject to the approval of the mayor and aldermen, who shall receive such compensation as the city council may determine. May appoint an assistant. Ibid.

SECT. 13. The city engineer, on or before the fifth day of January, annually, shall present to the Cochituate water board a report of the general condition of the water works, with a detailed statement of all expenditures in his department relating to the same, and such other matters as he or the said board may deem expedient. To make an annual report. Ibid.

SECT. 14. There shall be chosen annually, in the month of September or October, and whenever a vacancy occurs, by concurrent vote of the two branches of the city council, a water registrar, who shall be a citizen of Boston, and who shall hold his office until a successor is appointed, or he is removed. He shall be removable at the pleasure of the city council, and shall receive such compensation as the said council may from time to time determine. Water registrar, how chosen, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 15. The water registrar, under the direction and control of the Cochituate water board, shall assess the water rates, according to the tariff established by the city council. He shall, once in each year, personally visit the premises of every person who takes the water, and shall make out and distribute all bills for the same, and he shall exercise a constant supervision over the use of the water, and attend to the enforcement of all regulations relative thereto. To assess water rates. Ibid. To visit premises of takers, make out bills, &c.

SECT. 16. The water registrar, on or before the fifth day of January, annually, shall present to the Cochituate water board a report, containing a statement of the number of water takers, the number of cases where the water has been cut off, the number and amount of abatements, the expenditures in his department, and such other matters as he or the said board may deem expedient. To make annual report. Ibid.

SECT. 17. The annual rent for the use of the water shall be payable to the city treasurer in advance, on the Water rent payable in advance, January 1. Ibid.

first day of January in each year. All charges for specific supplies, or for fractional parts of the year, shall be payable in advance, and before the water is let on.

Supply to be cut off in case of non-payment. Ibid.

SECT. 18. In all cases of non-payment of the water rent for sixty days after the same is due, the water registrar shall cut off the supply; and the water shall not again be let on, either for the present or any subsequent occupant, except upon the payment of the amount due, together with the sum of two dollars; provided, that, in cases of specific supplies, or for fractional parts of the year, where the water has been let on, it may be cut off immediately, after notice given at the place that the rent is not paid, and may be let on again upon the condition before mentioned. And the foregoing provisions shall apply, when two or more parties take the water through the same service pipes, although one or more may have paid the proportion due from him or them.

Abatements may be made. Ibid.

SECT. 19. The water registrar, under the control of the Cochituate water board, may make abatements in the water rents, in all proper cases.

Water registrar to keep books, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 20. The water registrar shall keep suitable books, in which shall be entered the names of all persons who take the water, the kind of building, the name and number of the street, the nature of the use, the number of taps, and the amount charged, which shall be always open to the inspection of the Cochituate water board and any committee of the city council. He shall perform such other services as may be required of him by the city council, or the Cochituate water board.

No member of the board, or officer, to be interested in any contract, &c., in relation to the water works. Ibid.

SECT. 21. No member of the Cochituate water board, and no person appointed to any office, or employed, by virtue of this ordinance, or of the acts of the legislature mentioned in the third section, shall be interested, directly or indirectly, in any contract, bargain, sale, or agreement, in relation to the water works, or any matter or thing connected therewith, wherein the city is interested, without an express vote of the city council; and any and all contracts,

bargains, sales or agreements, made in violation of this section, shall be utterly void as to the city.

Penalty for opening hydrant, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 22. If any person shall open any hydrant within the city of Boston, or lift or remove the cover of the same, without the license of the Cochituate water board, or of the city engineer or the water registrar, except in case of fire, he shall be liable to a penalty of not less than three nor more than twenty dollars.

For opening any pipe, or reservoir, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 23. If any person shall make any opening or connection with any pipe or reservoir, without the license mentioned in the preceding section, he shall be liable to a penalty of not less than three nor more than twenty dollars.

For turning on or turning off the water, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 24. If any person shall turn on or turn off the water in any of the water pipes or reservoirs, without the license mentioned in the twenty-second section, he shall be liable to a penalty of not less than three nor more than twenty dollars.

For injuring any other reservoir, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 25. Any person who shall injure any public reservoir, not connected with the Cochituate water works, or who shall break and enter the same, and draw off, or cause to be removed, any of the water therefrom, except in case of fire, or unless duly authorized by the mayor and aldermen, or chief engineer of the fire department, shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than one dollar nor more than twenty dollars.

Water not to be sold to parties out of the city, unless, &c. Ibid.

SECT. 26. The water shall not be sold or delivered to any parties out of the limits of the city, unless by special vote of the city council, except in cases where contracts have already been entered into and arrangements made for that purpose.

Regulations under which the water shall be taken. Ibid.

SECT. 27. The following regulations shall be considered a part of the contract with every person who takes the water; and every such person, by taking the water, shall be considered to express his assent to be bound thereby. They shall be printed upon every bill for water rent, and whenever any one of them is violated, the water shall be cut off from the building or place of such violation, although two or more parties may receive the water through the

same pipe, and shall not be let on again, except by the order of the Cochituate water board, and on the payment of two dollars; and in case of any such violation, the said board shall have the right to declare any payment made for the water, by the person committing such violation, to be forfeited, and the same shall thereupon be forfeited.

The said regulations are as follows, namely:—

Takers to keep service pipes in good repair.

1. All persons taking the water shall keep the service pipes within their premises, including any area beneath the sidewalk, in good repair, and protected from frost, at their own expense; and they will be held liable for all damage which may result from their failure to do so.

To prevent waste, and use no concealment.

2. They shall prevent all unnecessary waste of water, and there shall be no concealment of the purposes for which it is used.

No alteration to be made, except, &c.

3. No alteration shall be made in any of the pipes or fixtures inserted by the city, except by its agents, who are to be allowed to enter the premises supplied, to examine the apparatus, and to ascertain whether there is any unnecessary waste.

Water not to be supplied to other parties, unless, &c.

4. No water is allowed to be supplied to parties not entitled to the use of it under the city ordinances, unless by special permission.

Use of hand hose restricted.

5. The use of the hand hose is restricted to one hour before eight of the clock in the forenoon, and one hour after sunset.

Water registrar may enter premises to examine.

6. The water registrar may enter the premises of any water taker, to examine the quantity used, and the manner of use.

When this ordinance shall take effect. Ibid.

SECT. 28. This ordinance shall take effect on and after the first day of January in the year eighteen hundred and fifty-one; provided, however, that the officers provided therein to be chosen by the city council, may be chosen during the present municipal year. [*Oct.* 31, 1850.]

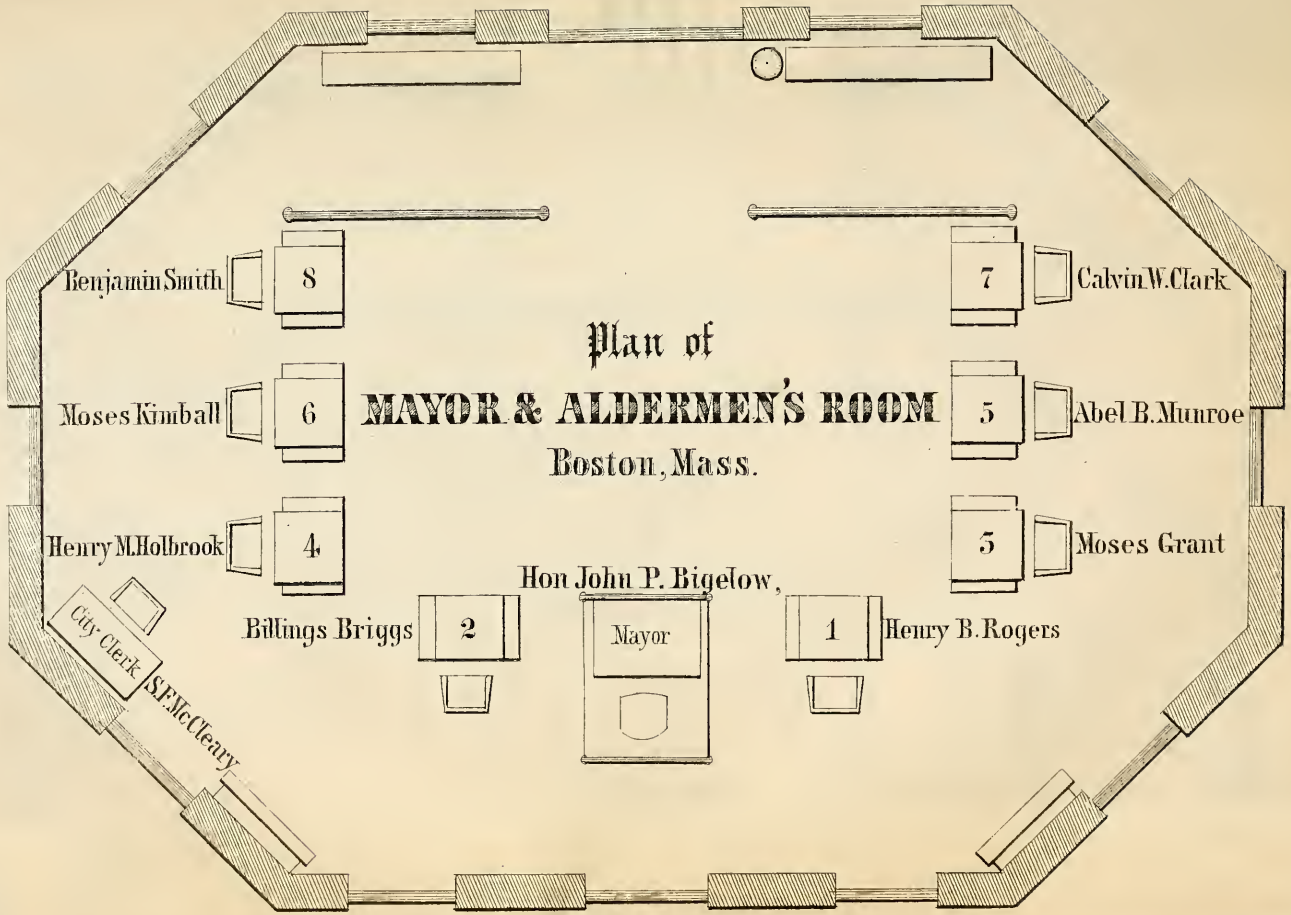
AN ORDINANCE IN RELATION TO CITY OFFICERS.

No member of city council, to be interested in contracts, sales, &c., to city.

SECT. 1. No member of the city council, no member of any board, and no individual chosen by the city council, shall be interested in a private capacity, directly or indirectly, in any contract or agreement for labor or for any materials, goods, wares or merchandize furnished to the city, wherein the city is a party interested, unless the same be expressly authorized to be made and entered into with such member, by some ordinance or order of the City Council.

All such sales and contracts void.

SECT. 2. All contracts, agreements, purchases and sales, made contrary to the preceding section, shall be utterly void, at the pleasure of the city council, and no bill against the city arising out of or connected with any such contract, agreement, purchase or sale, shall be approved by any committee, passed by the auditor, or paid by the treasurer, unless approved and allowed by express vote of the city council. [*Dec.* 23, 1850.]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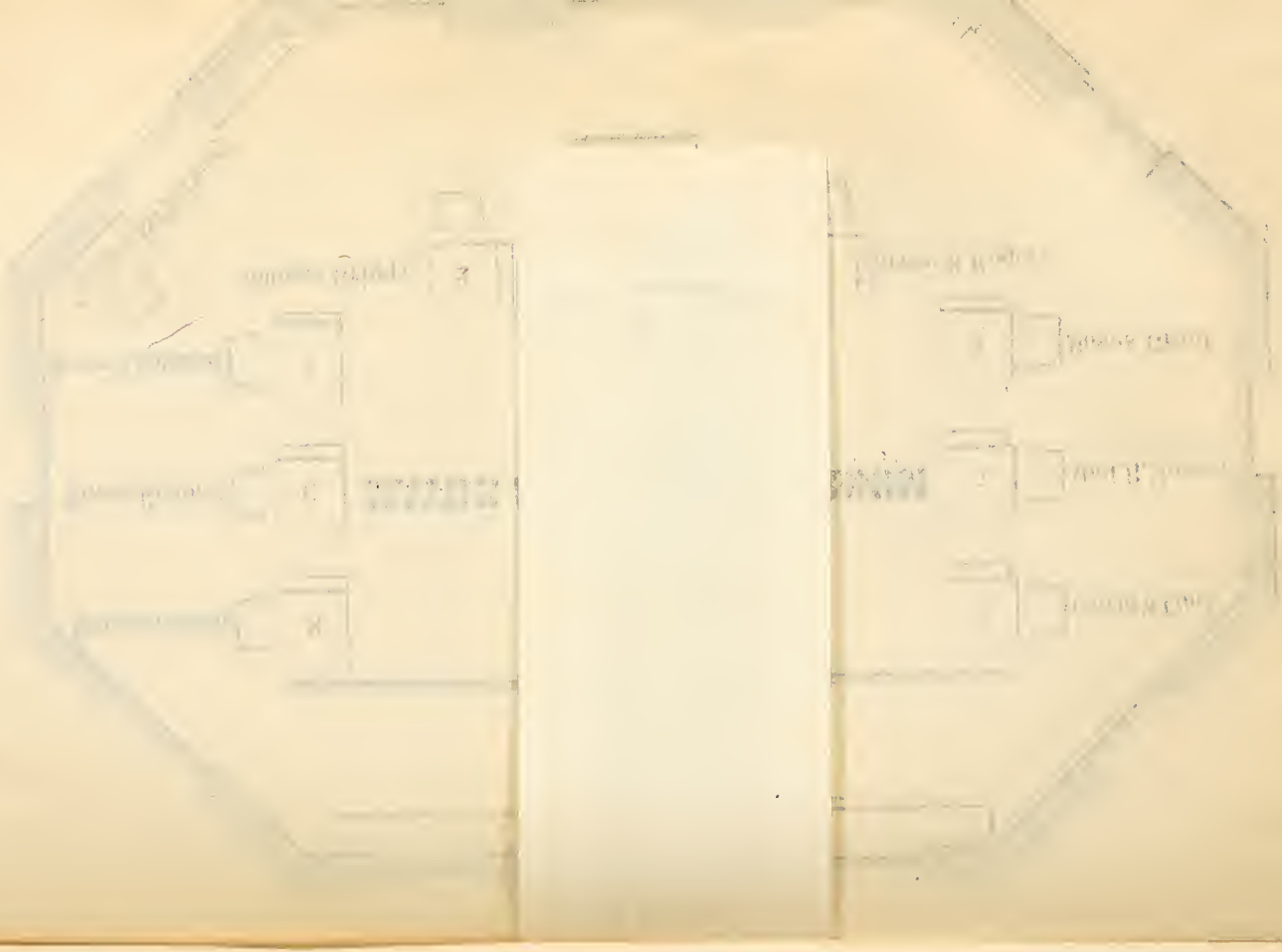
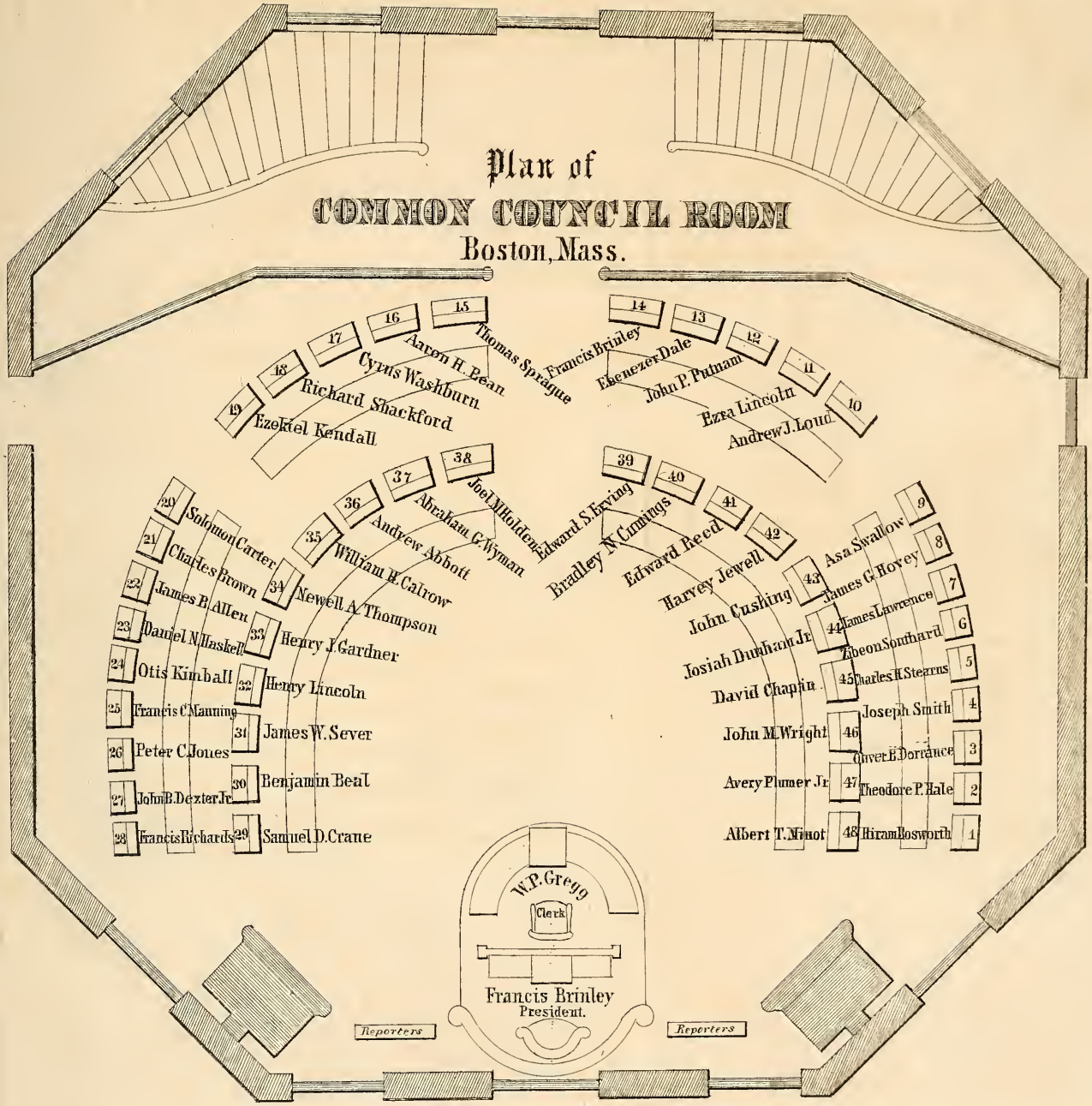
Note. Since the publication of this Register, the seats of Andrew Abbott and Thomas Sprague returned as members of the Common Council from Ward Three, for 1851, have been declared *vacant*, on the ground that the adjourned meeting, at which those gentlemen were elected, was *illegal*, on account of informalities at the annual meeting of that ward.





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GOVERNMENT

OF THE

CITY OF BOSTON,

1851.

MAYOR,

JOHN PRESCOTT BIGELOW, 11 Temple Street.

[Salary $2,500. Charter, § 6.]

ALDERMEN,

HENRY BROMFIELD ROGERS, - 5 Joy Place.
BILLINGS BRIGGS, - - - - - 9 Myrtle Court.
MOSES GRANT, - - - - - - - 7 Cambridge st.
HENRY MANNING HOLBROOK, - 19 Beacon st.
ABEL B. MUNROE, - - - - - 4 Tileston st.
CALVIN WHITING CLARK, - - 1 Kingston st.
MOSES KIMBALL, - - - - - - 15 South Bennet st.
BENJAMIN SMITH - - - - - - 32 Dock Square.

COMMON COUNCIL,

FRANCIS BRINLEY, PRESIDENT.

Ward No. 1.

John Cushing, - - - - - - 70 Charter street,
James G. Hovey, - - - - - 29 Sheafe street,
Joel M. Holden, - - - - - 242 Hanover street,
Charles H. Stearns, - - - - 13 Charter street,

Ward No. 2.

Cyrus Washburn, - - - - - 17 London street,
James B. Allen, - - - - - 113 Webster street,
William H. Calrow, - - - - 127 Webster street,
Richard Shackford, - - - - 15 Lexington st.

} East Boston.

Ward No. 3.

Solomon Carter,	16 Friend street,
Hiram Bosworth,	68 Lowell street,
Thomas Sprague,	27 Pitts street,
Andrew Abbott,	56 Portland street.

Ward No. 4.

Asa Swallow,	7 Staniford street,
Henry J. Gardner,	13 Mount Vernon street,
James Lawrence,	7 Park street,
Harvey Jewell,	20 Court street.

Ward No. 5.

Benjamin Beal,	51 Allen street,
Avery Plumer, Jr.,	27 Allen street,
Abraham G. Wyman,	8 Lynde street,
Ezekiel Kendall,	32 Poplar street.

Ward No. 6.

Henry Lincoln,	41 Hancock street,
John P. Putnam,	37 West Cedar street,
Charles Brown,	128 Charles street,
Ebenezer Dale,	51 Chestnut street.

Ward No. 7.

Francis Brinley,	51 Summer street,
James W. Sever,	65 Summer street,
David Chapin,	5 Hartford place,
John B. Dexter, Jr.,	19 Gridley street.

Ward No. 8.

John M. Wright,	Winthrop House,
Daniel N. Haskell,	Adams House,
Oliver B. Dorrance,	Winthrop House,
Francis C. Manning,	19 Rowe street.

Ward No. 9.

Newell A. Thompson,	81 Boylston street,
Edward S. Erving,	79 Pleasant street,
Francis Richards,	32 Pleasant street,
Peter C. Jones,	56 Warren street.

Ward No. 10.

Ezra Lincoln,	502 Washington street,
Aaron H. Bean,	7 Common street,
Otis Kimball,	38 Common street,
Edward Reed,	1 Oak place.

Ward No. 11.

Bradley N. Cumings, - - - - - 16 Dover street,
Albert T. Minot, - - - - - - 50 Dover street,
Andrew J. Loud, - - - - - - Suffolk near Newton st.
Theodore P. Hale, - - - - - - 7 Ashland avenue.

Ward No. 12.

Josiah Dunham, Jr., 55 B street,
Joseph Smith, - - 77 Broadway,
Samuel D. Crane, - Broadway cor. Dorchester st.
Zibeon Southard, - 306 Broadway,

South Boston.

City Clerk.

SAMUEL F. McCLEARY, 10 Ashland street.

Salary $1500, and for Assistant Clerks, $1500. [Chosen by the City Council, on the first Monday in January. Charter, § 17.]

Clerk of Common Council.

W. P. GREGG, 18 Leverett street.

Salary $900. [Chosen on the first Monday in January. Charter, § 18.]

Messenger.

JOHNSON COLBY, 23 Prospect street.

Salary $900.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES.

On the Reduction of the City Debt.

[Ord. p. 121.]

The Mayor, President of the Common Council, Chairman of the Committee on Finance on the part of the Common Council.

Accounts.

[Ord. p. 119.]

Aldermen.	*Common Council.*
Billings Briggs,	Albert T. Minot,
Moses Kimball.	Avery Plumer, Jr.,
	Daniel N. Haskell.

Assessors' Department.

[Ord. p. 400.]

Aldermen.	*Common Council.*
Henry M. Holbrook,	Aaron H. Bean,
Moses Kimball.	Francis C. Manning,
	Otis Kimball.

Finance,

[Ord. p. 121.]

The Mayor, ex officio.	*Common Council.*
	James W. Sever,
	Ebenezer Dale,
	Bradley N. Cumings,
	Aaron H. Bean,
	Henry J. Gardner,
	Benjamin Beal,
	Oliver B. Dorrance.

Fuel.

[Ord. p. 142.]

Aldermen.	*Common Council.*
Billings Briggs,	John Cushing,
Benjamin Smith.	Zibeon Southard,
	Thomas Sprague.

Harbor.

[Ord. p. 174.]

Aldermen.	*Common Council.*
Calvin W. Clark,	Avery Plumer, Jr.,
Benjamin Smith,	Henry Lincoln,
	John B. Dexter, Jr.

Institutions at South Boston and Deer Island.

[Mun. Reg. p. 4.]

The Mayor, *ex-officio.*	*Common Council.*
Aldermen.	John M. Wright,
Moses Grant,	Josiah Dunham, Jr.,
Abel B. Munroe,	Francis Richards,
	Henry J. Gardner,
	Solomon Carter.

Ordinances.

[Ord. p. 451. Mun. Reg. p. 44.]

Aldermen.	*Common Council.*
Henry B. Rogers,	Daniel N. Haskell,
Moses Grant,	Albert T. Minot,
Henry M. Holbrook,	James W. Sever,
	Richard Shackford,
	Charles H. Stearns.

Public Buildings.

[Ord. p. 306. Mun. Reg. p. 45.]

Aldermen.	*Common Council.*
Billings Briggs,	Asa Swallow,
Henry M. Holbrook,	John Cushing,
Calvin W. Clark,	Newell A. Thompson,
	Samuel D. Crane,
	Hiram Bosworth.

Public Instruction.

[Mun. Reg. p. 3.]

The Mayor, *ex officio.*	*Common Council.*
Aldermen.	President of C. C. *ex officio.*
Henry B. Rogers,	Daniel N. Haskell,
Moses Grant,	Ebenezer Dale,
	Peter C. Jones,
	Edward Reed.

Public Lands.

[Ord. p. 311. Mun. Reg. p. 48.]

The Mayor, *ex officio.*	*Common Council.*
Aldermen.	Albert T. Minot,
Billings Briggs,	Benjamin Beal,
Abel B. Munroe,	Charles Brown,
	Bradley N. Cumings,
	David Chapin.

Printing.

[Ord. p. 304.]

Aldermen.	*Common Council.*
Moses Grant,	Samuel D. Crane,
	Ezekiel Kendall.

Public Library.

[Mun. Reg. p. 4.]

The Mayor, *ex officio.*	*Common Council.*
Aldermen.	James W. Sever,
Henry B. Rogers,	Oliver B. Dorrance,
Moses Grant,	James Lawrence,
	Andrew J. Loud,
	William H. Calrow.

Treasury Department.

[Mun. Reg. p. 4.]

Aldermen.	*Common Council.*
Henry B. Rogers,	Edward S. Erving,
Henry M. Holbrook,	James G. Hovey,
	Andrew Abbott.

Water.

[Ord. p. 424. Mun. Reg. p. 60.]

The Mayor, *ex officio,*	*Common Council.*
Aldermen.	Joseph Smith,
Moses Grant,	John P. Putnam,
Moses Kimball,	Ezra Lincoln,
	Theodore P. Hale,
	Cyrus Washburn.

STANDING COMMITTEES

OF THE

BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN.

Police.
The Mayor.

Bridges.
Aldermen Kimball, Smith, and Clark.

Cemeteries.
Aldermen Grant, Holbrook, and Smith.

Common and Public Squares.
The Mayor, Aldermen Holbrook and Smith.

County Accounts.
Aldermen Briggs, Clark, and Kimball.

Drains and Sewers.
Aldermen Briggs, Smith, and Munroe.

Fire Department.
The Mayor, Aldermen Grant and Holbrook.

External Health Department.
Aldermen Kimball, Clark, and Smith.

Internal Health Department.
Aldermen Rogers, Grant, and Holbrook.

Lamps, Bells and Clocks.
The Mayor, Aldermen Briggs and Munroe.

Laying out and Widening Streets.
Aldermen Rogers, Holbrook, and Clark.

Licenses.
Aldermen Grant, Holbrook, and Munroe.

Market.
Aldermen Grant, Holbrook, and Kimball.

New Jail.
Aldermen Briggs, Clark, and Holbrook.

Paving and Repairs of Streets.
Aldermen Briggs, Clark, and Munroe.

Steam Engines and Furnaces.
Aldermen Kimball, Munroe, and Smith.

STANDING COMMITTEE

OF THE

COMMON COUNCIL.

On Elections.

A. G. Wyman,
John P. Putnam,
Harvey Jewell,
Joel M. Holden,
James B. Allen.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

James C. Dunn, *City and County Treasurer and Collector.* Salary $2,200; and $3,800 for assistant clerks. Chosen by the City Council in Convention, in May. City Charter, § 26.]

Willard Clough, James Pierce, Thomas Seward, } *Deputy Collectors.* [Appointed by Treasurer. Statutes 1821. 110 § 1. 13 City Ordinances, p. 396.]

Elisha Copeland, *City Auditor*—Salary and Clerk hire $2,200. [Chosen by concurrent vote of the City Council in May. City Ordinances, p. 119.]

ASSESSORS' DEPARTMENT.

Principal Assessors.

George E. Head, Samuel Norwood, George Jackson, Henry Sargent. Salary $1,300 each; and $2,100 for Assistant Clerks; William H. Lane, Benjamin Dodd, Clement Willis, with a per diem allowance of $4 for each day's service. [Charter § 24.]

Assistant Assessors for 1850, *residing in different Wards.*

Ward.	Ward.
1—Alexander Wood, John Spence, jr.	7—Abel G. Peck. Henry Nichols.
2—Timothy C. Kendall, Noah Harrod.	8—Joseph H. Thayer, Nathaniel Mitchell.
3—John Bacon, Osmyn Brewster.	9—Samuel H. Babcock, Thomas Austin.
4—William Denton, Ebenezer Atkins.	10—F. C. Whiston, John Tirrell.
5—Charles Leighton, John Cowdin.	11—George Palmer, Greenleaf C. Sanborn.
6—Charles Frederick Adams, John G. Davis.	12—Timothy Bedlington, Jacob Herrick.

Samuel Norwood, *Secretary.*

[The Assessors and Assistant Assessors are chosen by concurrent vote of the City Council, in March. Statutes 1821. 110, § 15. City Ordinances, p. 399. Mun. Reg., p. 52.] The Assistant Assessors receive $3 for each day's service.

CITY SOLICITOR.

Peleg W. Chandler, *City Solicitor*, Office No. 4 Court street. Salary $2500, and Office expenses. [Chosen by concurrent vote in June. City Ord. p. 390.]

MUNICIPAL COURT.

The duties of *Judge of the Municipal Court of the City of Boston*, are performed by the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, or some one of them. [Act 1843, ch. 7.]

Samuel D. Parker, *Attorney.*
Thomas W. Phillips, *Clerk.*
Henry Homer, *Crier and Messenger.*

SHERIFFS AND CORONERS.

Joseph Eveleth, *Sheriff.*

Jabez Pratt,
Watson Freeman,
Silas P. Tarbell,
Daniel J. Coburn,
Benjamin F. Bayley,
Erastus Rugg, Chelsea,
} *Deputies.*

Jabez Pratt, William Andrews, Charles Smith, *Coroners.*

POLICE COURT.

John Gray Rogers,
James C. Merrill,
Abel Cushing,
} *Justices of the Police Court and of the Justices' Court.* Salary $1500 each. [Rev. St. ch. 87.]

Thomas Power, *Clerk.* Salary $1,500. [Ord. p. 90, 93, 97.]

William Knapp, *Assistant Clerk.* Salary $1,100. [Rev. St. ch. 87.] Seth Tobey, *Second Assistant Clerk.* Salary $700.

Jonas Stratton, *Messenger.* Salary $33.33 per month.

The Judge of Probate and the three Justices of the Police Court, constitute the *Board of Accounts* for the County. [Revised Statutes, p. 164. Ord. p. 96.] They are allowed $3 for each day's actual service in auditing the County Accounts.

William Knapp, *Secretary of the Board.* Salary $150.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Francis Tukey, *City Marshal.* Salary $1,800. [Appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen in May or June. City Ord. p. 272. Mun. Reg. p. 41.]

Hezekiah Earl, *Deputy Marshal.* Salary $800. [Nominated by the Marshal and approved by the Mayor and Aldermen. City Ord. p. 272.]

[Appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen.]

Charles P. Philbrick, *Superintendent of Coaches, Cabs, &c.*

Charles B. Rice, *Superintendent of Trucks, Wagons, &c.*

List of Police Officers.

DAY POLICE.

Samuel G. Adams,
John Bordman,
Asa O. Butman,
George Churchill,
Stephen Curtis,
John Crocker,
Joshua Dunbar,
William D. Eaton,
Samuel B. Fuller,
Jacob Hook,
Luther A. Ham,
Benjamin Heath,
Frederick P. Ingalls,
James Jewett,
Rufus Leighton,
Harrison Marsh,
Asa Morrill,
John H. Osborn,
John C. Pattee,
Benjamin O. Pettingill,
Lysander Ripley,
Atwell Richardson,
Charles B. Starkweather,
Oliver H. Spurr,
Ebenezer Shute,
Alfred Sleeper,
Archibald E. Towle,
Robert Taylor,
William B. Tarleton,
Willard J. Whiting,
Silas Warren.

[City Ordinance, p. 301.]

NIGHT POLICE.

Lemuel Chesley, *Captain.*

Andrew J. Adams,
Oscar Bingham,
Albert Bradshaw,
Joshua C. Batchelder,
Alvin S. Drew,
Cornelius P. V. Foster,
Henry N. Gardner,
Nathaniel K. Hammond,
Charles B. Harlow,
Samuel Hinkson,
Mark F. Hinkley,
Arthur Huston,
James D. Jackson,
William W. Johnson,
James S. Kimball,
John P. Lynch,
John W. Morey,
Reuben P. Moore,
Edward J. Newhall,
James H. Norwood,
George Oliver,
George R. Pichard,
John Prince,
James O. Rogers,
Edward H. Savage,
John F. Snow,
William Shaw,
George W. Trenholm,
John S. Walker,
John C. Warren,
Arnold C. Whitcomb,
James B. Weeks,

CONSTABLES.

Francis M. Adams,
Gustavus Andrews,
Josiah Baldwin,
Silas Carlton,
Derastus Clapp,
Willard Clough,
Elisha V. Glover,
Zaccheus Holmes,
Richard Hosea,
James Hunkins,
John C. Harrington,
Alexander Hopkins,
E. J. Jones,
William K. Jones,
Isaac B. Kimball,
William Loring,
John T. Lawton,
John C. Leighton,
Joseph W. Leighton,
Charles J. Merrill,
William Munroe,
Alonzo F. Neale,
David Patterson,
James Pierce,
James W. Pierce,
Jonathan Prescott,
Isaac A. Cooledge,
George J. Cooledge,
George J. Dexter,
William Easterbrook,
Edwin Rice,
Erastus W. Sanborn,
Thomas Sewards,
Thomas M. Smith,
Charles Smith,
Charles Sawin,
Oliver H. Spurr,
Jonas Stratton,
Henry Taylor,
Jacob C. Tallant,
William Whitwell,
Samuel S. Vialle.

[City Ord. p. 83.]

The following *Officers* attend the Ward Meetings of the Citizens on *Election Days.*

Ward.	Ward.
1—William K. Jones,	7—George J. Dexter,
2—Edwin Rice,	8—Charles Smith,
3—Erastus W. Sanborn,	9—Willard Clough,
4—Jonas Stratton,	10—Josiah Baldwin,
5—William Easterbrook,	11—David Patterson.
6—Elisha V. Glover,	12—John T. Lawton.

Officers appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen to make complaints against *Truant Children* and *Absentees from School.* [City Ordinance p. 402, Mun. Reg. p. 55.]

Oliver H. Spurr,
Frederick P. Ingalls,
Rufus Leighton.

WATCH DEPARTMENT.

James Barry, *Captain of the City Watch.* Office, City Building, Court square. Salary $500. [Appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen. City Ordinances, p. 408.]

The Watch Department consists of seven divisions, viz: the East, West, North, South—above Orange street, and Boylston, from Summer street to Orange street, and South Boston and East Boston.

There are 16 Constables of the Watch, at $1.25 per night. 261 Watchmen, at $1.00 per night.

Gustavus Andrews, *Deputy Jailor.*

The Judge of Probate, and the Justices of the Police Court, *are the Inspectors of Prisons.* [Revised Statutes, p. 784. Act 1843, ch. 61, § 2.]

William Knapp, *Secretary to the Inspectors.*

PRINTING AND ADVERTISING.

John H. Eastburn, *City Printer.* Work done by contract. [City Ordinances, p. 304.]

There are seven newspapers in which the City Odrinances, Advertisements, &c. are published. They are the Daily Advertiser, Courier, Atlas, Post, morning papers. Daily Evening Transcript, Boston Daily Journal, Daily Evening Traveller, evening papers. [Elected by joint order of the City Council. Compensation $150 each per annum.]

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

John M. Moriarty, *Port Physician*, Resident at Deer Island. Salary $1,200 and Board. [Chosen by concurrent vote in May. City Ordinances, p. 211.]

The Quarantine Boat is in the service of the Port Physician, and the men are paid by the City. She is used as a boarding boat, and visits all vessels coming from foreign ports to inspect their crews, passengers, and cargoes,—for this service a fee of $10 is paid by the vessel.

Clement A. Walker, *Assistant Physician.* Salary $600, and board. [Chosen and paid by the Directors of the House of Industry, &c.]

Jonathan Bruce, *Keeper of Rainsford Island, and Captain of the Quarantine Boat.* Salary $300. [Appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen. Ordinances, p. 154.]

Henry G. Clark, *City Physician.* Salary $500. Chosen by concurrent vote in May. Office City Building, Court square. [City Ordinances, p. 209.]

John C. Warren, George Hayward, George C. Shattuck, Jacob Bigelow, John Ware, *Consulting Physicians.* [Chosen by concurrent vote in May or June. City Ordinances, p. 202.]

Artemas Simonds, *City Registrar.* Chosen in February by concurrent vote of the City Council. [City Ordinances, p. 327. Municipal Register, p. 50.]

The City Registrar has the Superintendence of the Burial Grounds and Funerals. Records the Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and all Intentions of Marriage. Salary $1,200, and an allowance of $600 for Clerk hire.

William Palfrey, *Clerk,*

UNDERTAKERS.

[Appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen in January. City Ordinances, p. 212.]

Henry Davis, 179 Hanover street,
Thomas Haskell, 95 Prince, corner of Salem street.
Caleb I. Pratt, 80 Sumner street,.
Oren Faxon, 5 Orange street,
William A. Brabiner, B, corner of Silver st., S. Boston,
Franklin Smith, 2 Seaver place,
Richard Dillon, Fayette Court,
John Peak, 1 Leverett street,
Charles Houghton, Fourth street, South Boston,
Constant T. Benson, 65 Prince street,
George Johnson, rear of 35 Pitts street,
Harum Merrill, 3 Russell place,
John White, Lewis street, East Boston,
Obed Pratt, 24 Vine street,
Levi Whitcomb, in the rear of Marlboro' Chapel,
William Cooley, 30 Tyler street,
Charles Cook, 17 Nassau street.
Lewis Jones, rear St. Paul's church,
David Marden, Salem, opposite Tileston street.
J. W. Pierce, 56 High street,
Ware Wilkinson, 24 Marion street.

Nahum P. Whitney, 1 Lovett place,
Edward Mower, 37 Pitts street,
James Lynde, 8½ Tileston street,
Philip E. Field, 63 B street, South Boston,
John D. Ingersoll, 77 Charter street,
Jeremiah Tinkham, 7 Purchase street.

Charles B. Wells, *Superintendent of Common Sewers.* Salary $1,200. [Chosen by concurrent vote in May or June. City Ordinances, p. 358.]

The Mayor and Aldermen, *Surveyors of Highways.* [Charter § 22. Ordinances, p. 378.]

Thomas Hunting, *Superintendent of Streets.* Salary $1,400 [Chosen by concurrent vote, in January or February. City Ordinances, p. 383.]

PUBLIC LANDS AND BUILDINGS, LAMPS, BRIDGES AND HARBOR.

James McAllaster, *Superintendent of Public Buildings.* Office, City Hall. Salary $1,200. [Chosen by concurrent vote in April or May. City Ordinances, 307. Mun. Reg. p. 45.]

Stephen Tucker, *Superintendent of Public Lands.* Salary $1,200. [Chosen in April or May. City Ordinances, p. 311. Mun. Reg. p. 48.]

Daniel Rhodes, *Clerk of Faneuil Hall Market.* Salary $1,100. [Appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen, in June or July. City Ordinances, p. 109.]

Sullivan Sawin, *Weigher.* Salary $35 per month.

Thomas Kettell, *Deputy Clerk.* Salary $600 per annum. [City Ordinances, p. 109.]

Thomas Bennett, *Assistant Clerk and Police Officer.* $2 per day.

James Barry, *Superintendent of Lamps.* Salary $600 per annum. [Appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen. City Ordinances, p. 250.]

There are 959 Gas Lamps, 1243 Oil Lamps; 12 Gas Lighters, and 16 Oil Lighters. The Lamps are now lighted on an average 26 nights per month

The pay of the Lighters of the Oil Lamps is $1.56 per 100 lightings.

The pay of the Gas Lighters is $1.19 per 100 lightings, for lighting and extinguishing.

Samuel Jenkins, *Superintendent of the North Free Bridge.* Salary $800. [Chosen by concurrent vote, "first acted upon by the Mayor and Aldermen," in January or February. City Ordinances, p. 54.]

Abner J. Gaffield, *Superintendent of the South Free Bridge.* Salary $300. [Chosen by concurrent vote "first acted upon by the Mayor and Aldermen," in January or February. City Ordinances, p. 54.]

Daniel Merrill, *Keeper of the County Court House.* Salary $700.

George P. Tewksbury, *Harbor Master.* Salary $1,200. Chosen by concurrent vote annually, "if expedient." [Ordinances, p. 172.]

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Chief Engineer.

William Barnicoat, 273 Tremont street. Salary $1,200.

Assistant Engineers. Salary $200 each.

Charles S. Clark,	32 Snowhill street.
Joshua Jacobs,	Montgomery place.
George W. Bird,	5 Ringgold street.
John Davis, jr.,	Broadway, South Boston.
Elisha Smith, jr.	9 London street.
Theodore P. Bowker,	117 Pinckney street.
Anson Ellms,	Sumner street, East Boston.
Frederick A. Colburn,	Pavilion.
Jonathan Pierce,	21 Tyler street.

Henry Hart, *Clerk.* Salary $600.

[Chosen in January or February, by concurrent vote. Ordinances, pp. 126, 132.]

Foremen of Engines.

Suffolk Co. No. 1.	*Suffolk street.*
William L. Champney,	Canton street.
Protection Co. No. 4.	*Paris street, East Boston.*
Benjamin F. Newell,	Maverick street.
Howard Co. No. 7.	*Purchase street.*
Caleb S. McClennen,	22 Purchase street.

Hancock Co. No. 10.	*Friend street.*
James Quinn,	19 North Margin street.
Maverick Co. No. 11.	*Paris street, East Boston.*
Darius B. Kidder,	Maverick square, E. Boston.
Eagle Co. No. 12.	*Washington street.*
Melville Co. No. 13.	*Leverett street.*
Charles Carter,	South Margin street.
Cataract Co. No. 14.	*Foot of Mt. Vernon street.*
Alvin Vinal,	1 Lime street.
Boston Co. No. 15.	*Commercial street.*
Henry S. Ellms,	
Perkins Co. No. 16.	*Broadway, S. Boston.*
Jackson L. Stinson,	Third street, South Boston.
Mazeppa Co. No. 17.	*Broadway, S. Boston.*
George S. Thom,	Athens street, S. Boston.
Lafayette Co. No. 18.	*Tremont Row.*
Caleb Clapp,	Slade's Hotel.
Old North Co. No. 19.	*Eagle Hill, East Boston.*
Andrew Burnham,	51 Lexington street, E. Boston.
Extinguisher Co. No. 20.	*East street.*
David C. Meloon,	34 Lincoln street.
Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1.	*Friend street.*
Philip Fox,	42 Spring street.
Hook and Ladder Co. No. 2.	*Paris street, E. Boston.*
William Hunt,	London street, East Boston.
Hook and Ladder Co. No. 3.	*Harrison Avenue.*
Frederick L. Tyler,	563 Washington street.
Hydrant Co. No. 1.	*Salem street.*
William Dyke,	13 Snowhill street.
Hydrant Co. No. 2.	*Hudson street.*
David Chamberlin,	77 Tyler street.
Hydrant Co. No. 3.	*Tremont Row.*
Mason A. Rice,	34 Portland street.
Hydrant Co. No. 4.	*Tremont street.*
Eleazer Witherell,	16 Dover Place.

There are attached to the department, 21 Foremen of Engine, Hook and Ladder, and Hydrant Companies, at $125 each; 17 Assistant Foremen, at $100 each; 17 Clerks at $100 each; 17 Stewards, at $100 each; 430 Members, at $80 each;

4 Foremen, at $50 each; 4 Assistant Foremen, at $40 each; 4 Clerks, at $40 each; 4 Stewards, at $40 each; 110 Members, at $30 each. There are 3 Engine Companies and 1 Hook and Ladder Company at East Boston, which are not required to attend Fires in the City proper, except by special order of the Chief Engineer—their compensation is as follows—Foremen $50 each per annum; Assistant Foremen $40 each; Clerks $40 each; Stewards 40 each; Members $30 each.

[Ordinances, pp. 126, 132.]

SURVEYOR GENERAL OF LUMBER.

[Chosen by concurrent vote in February. City Ord. p. 260.]

FRANCIS BULLARD,

Office No. 136 Milk street.

Deputy Surveyors appointed by the Surveyor General.

[City Ordinances, p. 261.]

Surveyors of Pine Lumber.

Edwin Allyn,	Washington st., near Dedham street.
Charles Bullard,	14 Fayette street.
Henry Bullard,	512 Washington street.
George W. Cram,	
George Davis,	4 Brookline street.
George Dupee,	332 Tremont street.
Osgood Eaton,	Prince, corner of Salem street.
George Hall,	22 South Russell street.
Rolun Hartshorn,	Lincoln street.
Charles Hersey,	63 Allen street.
Joseph F. Huntress,	39 Oak street.
William Keith,	2 Lyndeboro' place.
John Y. Kendall,	
John Lefavor,	Webster street, East Boston.
Josiah Marston,	Bolton street, near E street.
George Page,	56 C street, South Boston.
Eben M. Plumer,	No. 3 Snelling place.
Seth Thaxter,	83 Warren street.
Samuel Waldron,	Fourth, near B street, S. Boston.
Edward Willett,	516 Washington street.

Surveyor of Mahogany and Cedar.

Nathaniel Bryant,	No. 31 Dover street.

Surveyors of Oak, Hard Wood, &c.

Seth Brooks,	Saratoga street, East Boston.
Gad Leavitt,	Franklin House.

The following officers are first elected by the Mayor and Aldermen, with the concurrence of the Common Council. They are all paid by fees. [Ordinances, p. 274.]

Inspectors of Lime.—Asa Swallow, Joel Wheeler.

Fence Viewers.—Romanus Emerson, Rolun Hartshorn.

Cullers of Dry Fish.—Benjamin Luckis, and Benjamin Abrahams.

Cullers of Hoops and Staves.—John K. Carlton, and Benjamin Abrahams.

Assay Master.—Isaac Babbitt.

Field Drivers and Pound Keepers.—Thomas Gerrish, Timothy McIntire, Ira E. Sanborn, and David Briggs.

The following officers are appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen.

Weigher of Hay, &c.—John R. Bradford. [Ordinances, p. 180.]

Measurer of Upper Leather.—William Bragdon. [Ordinance, p. 254.]

Measurers of Wood and Bark, brought by land.—John R. Bradford, Amos Bates, William Shattuck, Moses Hadley, Hollis Moore. [Ordinances, p. 444.]

Measurers of Wood, brought by water.—Jonathan Thaxter, Warren Bowker, Daniel A. Rogers, John Paul. [Ordinance, p. 444.]

Weigher of Boats and Lighters.—Edward Loring. [Appointed in March or April. Ordinances, p. 33.]

City Crier.—George Hill. [Licensed from time to time, until the first day of May following. Ordinances, p. 97.]

Sealer of Weights and Measures.—Edward Loring. [Ordinances, pp. 430, 439.]

Inspectors and Weighers of Bundle Hay.—Joseph Hockey, Elbridge G. Dudley, Azor Maynard, Israel M. Barnes, Samuel Lane, Ebenezer H. Redding, Samuel B. Livermore, B. M. Nevers, William A. Lewis, John McCallum. [Ordinances, p. 181.]

PUBLIC CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

The Directors, Overseers and Visitors of the different Institutions, the Master of the House of Correction, and the Superintendent of the Boston Lunatic Hospital, are chosen by concurrent vote of the City Council. The other officers are appointed by the Directors of the different Houses.

HOUSES OF INDUSTRY AND REFORMATION.

Directors.—Thomas Hollis, *Chairman*, Samuel Leeds, Alfred A. Wellington, William Dall, William Freeman, William Willett, David Kimball, John Flint, and Nathaniel Brewer. [Chosen in May. Ordinances, p. 236.]

Superintendent.—Friend Crane. Salary $1,000, and board in House.

Assistant.—Bickford Lang. Salary $30 per month and board.

Clerk of Directors.—William Willett. Salary $1,200.

In the House of Industry, there is a Matron's Assistant, Overseer of Clothing and Overseer of Kitchen, who receive $204 each, from the City. There are also paid by the Trustees of the Boylston and Mason Funds to the Chaplain, $500; Teacher of Boys, $500; Assistant Teacher, $300; and four females each $156.

In the House of Reformation Department, there is paid to the Male Teacher $500, and to one Assistant $350, and to one $240; and to the Matron, $200. [Appointed by the Directors.]

There are two Assistant Farmers, at a salary of $300 each, whose services are for both Houses.

HOUSE OF CORRECTION.

Overseers.—William T. Andrews, *Chairman*, George Darracott, Uriel Crocker, James Clark, and Thomas Restieaux. Chosen from time to time, generally in the month of May. [Ordinances, p. 219.]

Master.—Charles Robbins. Salary $1,200, and board in House.

Clerk to Master.—R. W. Crossett. Salary $400, and board in House.

Clerk to Overseers.—Eliphalet P. Hartshorn. Salary $700.

Chaplain.—Rev. Shipley W. Willson. Salary $750.

There is also paid to six Male Assistants, $300 each, and board; and three Female Assistants, $200 each. Also, to one Cook, $3.50 per week.

BOSTON LUNATIC HOSPITAL.

Visitors.—Charles Edw. Cook, *Chairman*, Henry M. Holbrook, Henry Lincoln, Otis Clapp, George Savage, Samuel S. Perkins, Alexander H. Rice. [Chosen in January or February. Ordinances, p. 270.]

Secretary.—Samuel F. McCleary, Jr. Salary $100.

Charles H. Stedman, M. D., *Superintendent and Physician* to the above institutions. Salary $1,200, and board in the House. [Chosen in September or October. City Ord. p. 271.]

Chaplain.—Rev. Louis Dwight.

There are also attached to this Institution,
Sumner Crosby, Steward, Salary $600 per year.
Harriot Crosby, Matron, " $200 "

Seven male Attendants and Assistants, $180 each; six female attendants and Assistants $130 each; one Laundress and one Housekeeper, at $156 each; two Cooks, at $2 per week; one Sempstress, at $2.25 per week; Table and Chamber Girl at $2 per week.

The Gate Keepers to the enclosures of the Institutions at South Boston receive $600, which amount is shared by the three Institutions.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

(Charter § 17.)

(Chosen in each Ward where they reside.)

Ward.	Ward.
1—Alexander Wood.	7—John W. Warren, jr.
2—Thomas Gove.	8—Joseph Lewis.
3—Benjamin T. Gould,	9—Calvin Whiting.
4—S. S. Littlehale.	10—John F. W. Lane.
5—Daniel Henchman.	11—Henry R. Andrews.
6—Thomas Haviland.	12—Thomas Blasland.

James Phillips, *Secretary.* Salary $800.

WATER DEPARTMENT.

COCHITUATE WATER BOARD.

[Chosen in March or April, by concurrent vote. City Ordinances, p. 424.]

Thomas Wetmore, *Chairman.*

Henry B. Rogers,	Jonathan Preston,
James W. Sever,	Samuel A. Eliot,
John H. Wilkins,	John T. Heard.

Samuel Holbrook, *Clerk.*

E. Sylvester Chesbrough, *City Engineer.* Salary $2,500.

George H. Bailey, *Assistant Engineer.* Salary $.
Office 119 Washington street.

J. Avery Richards, *Water Registrar.* Salary $1,200.
Office City Building, Court Square.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

John P. Bigelow, Mayor, *Chairman*
Francis Brinley, *President Common Council*, } *Ex officiis.*

[*The following are chosen in each ward.*]

Ward.	Ward.
1—Rev. Edward Beecher, Benson Leavitt.	7—Hamilton Willis, Dr. Zabdiel B. Adams.
2—Dr. Wm. H. Thorndike, Silas B. Hahn.	8—Rev. J. I. T. Coolidge Samuel W. Bates.
3—Dr. Edw. D. G. Palmer, Rev. Pharcellus Church.	9—Joseph M. Wightman, Samuel E. Guild.
4—Rev. Sam'l K. Lothrop, Rev. Hubbard Winslow.	10—Rev. Joseph B. Felt, Rev. Geo. M. Randall.
5—Frederick Emerson, Loring Norcross.	11—William H. Foster, George Eaton.
6—Sampson Reed, Frederick U. Tracy.	12—Alvan Simonds, Francis Alger.

Samuel F. McCleary, jr., *Secretary.*

SUB-COMMITTEES.

Books—Messrs. Felt, Church, Coolidge, Adams, and Winslow.

To confer with Primary School Committee—Messrs. Eaton, Reed, and Willis.

Committee on Erection, Alteration, and Ventilation of School Houses—Messrs. Emerson, Alger, and Bates.

On Temporary Instruction—Messrs. Guild, Leavitt and Foster.

Annual Examining Committee—Messrs. Winslow, Felt, Adams, Alger, Church, Coolidge, Eaton, Randall, and Thorndike.

SCHOOLS.	ESTABLISHED	SEXES.	LOCATION.	COMMITTEES.
Latin, - - - - - -	1647	Boys,	*Bedford Street*, - - -	Messrs. The Mayor, Beecher, Reed, Coolidge, and Guild.
English High, -	1821	Boys,	*Bedford Street*, - - -	" Lothrop, Palmer, Winslow, Randall, and Eaton.
Adams, - - - - - -	1717	Boys,	*Mason Street*, - - - -	" Tracy, Willis, and Foster.
Bigelow, - - - -	1849	Girls,	*Fourth Street*, - - - -	" Adams, Alger, and Foster.
Bowdoin, - - - -	1821	Girls,	*Myrtle Street*, - - - -	" Winslow, Reed, and Tracy.
Boylston, - - - -	1819	Both sexes,	*Washington Place*, -	" Willis, Adams, and Bates.
Brimmer, - - - -	1843	Boys,	*Common Street*, - - -	" Felt, Randall, and Simonds.
Chapman, - - - -	1849	Both sexes,	*Eutaw Street*, - - - -	" Thorndike, Palmer, and Church.
Dwight, - - - - -	1844	Both sexes,	*Concord Street*, - - -	" Foster, Wightman, and Eaton.
Eliot, - - - - - -	1713	Boys,	*North Bennet Street*,	" Leavitt, Beecher, and Hahn.
Endicott, - - - -	1839	Both sexes,	*Cooper Street*, - - - -	" Norcross, Emerson, and Thorndike.
Franklin, - - - -	1785	Girls,	*Washington Street*, -	" Coolidge, Foster, and Willis.
Hancock, - - - -	1822	Girls,	*Richmond Place*, - -	" Beecher, Church, and Thorndike.
Hawes, - - - - - -	1811	Boys,	*South Boston*, - - - -	" Alger, Simonds, and Bates.
Johnson, - - - - -	1836	Girls,	*Tremont Street*, - - -	" Wightman, Willis, and Guild.
Lyman, - - - - - -	1837	Both sexes,	*East Boston*, - - - -	" Hahn, Thorndike, and Leavitt.
Mather, - - - - -	1842	Both sexes,	*South Boston*, - - - -	" Simonds, Alger, and Randall.
Mayhew, - - - - -	1803	Boys,	*Hawkins Street*, - - -	" Church, Winslow, and Adams.
Otis, - - - - - - -	1844	Both sexes,	*Lancaster Street*, - -	" Palmer, Emerson, and Winslow.
Phillips, - - - -	1844	Boys,	*Pinckney Street*, - - -	" Reed, Norcross, and Tracy.
Quincy, - - - - -	1847	Boys,	*Tyler Street*, - - - -	" Randall, Guild, and Felt.
Smith, - - - - - -	1812	Both sexes,	*Bellnap Street*, - - -	" Guild, Palmer, and Reed.
Wells, - - - - - -	1833	Girls,	*McLean Street*, - - -	" Emerson, Norcross, and Hahn.
Winthrop, - - -	1836	Girls,	*East Street*, - - - - -	" Bates, Wightman, and Coolidge.

INSTRUCTERS IN THE VARIOUS SCHOOLS.

NOTE. The Masters of the *Latin* and *English High Schools* have a salary of $2,400 each per annum. The *Sub-Masters* of both schools have $1,500 each per annum —and the *Ushers* in both schools have $800 each for the *first year* of service, with an annual increase of $100 for each additional year of service until the salary amounts to $1,200, at which sum it remains fixed.

All *Grammar* and *Writing* Masters have a salary of $1,500 each; all *Sub-masters* in the Grammar Schools have $1,000 each per annum—all *Ushers* in said schools have $800 each per annum.—*Head Assistants* $400 each, and all other *Assistants* $300 each per annum.

The *Teachers* of *Music* receive $100 a year for instruction in each school, which sum includes the consideration for the use of a Piano Forte. [All the salaries are fixed by the School Committee.]

LATIN.

Epes S. Dixwell, *Master.*
Caleb Emery, *Sub-Master.*
Joseph H. Thayer and John Noble, *Ushers.*

ENGLISH HIGH.

Thomas Sherwin, *Master.*
Luther Robinson, *First Sub-Master.*
Francis S. Williams, *Second Sub-Master.*
Samuel M. Weston and Charles M. Cumston, *Ushers.*

ADAMS.

Samuel Barrett, *Master.*
Bartholomew Wood, *Sub-Master.*
Ira Cheever, *Usher.*
Mary E. Beck, Lucy F. Hall, Mary M. Knights, *Assistants.*
A. N. Johnson, *Music Teacher.*

BIGELOW.

Frederick Crafts, *Master.*
Rebecca M. Harris, Julia M. Baxter, H. Maria Manning, Rebecca A. Strout, Elizabeth Williams, Celinda Seaver, Martha C. Jenks, *Assistants.*
Albert Drake, *Music Teacher.*

BOWDOIN.

Abraham Andrews, *Grammar Master.*
James Robinson, *Writing Master.*
Rebecca Lincoln, Mary S. Robinson, Sarah M. Mitchell, Hannah S. Andrews, Mary Ann Smith, E. F. Copeland, Louisa Clark, *Assistants.*
A. N. Johnson, *Music Teacher.*

BOYLSTON.

John C. Dore, *Grammar Master.*
Charles Kimball, *Writing Master.*
William T. Adams and Franklin Webster, *Ushers.*
Clarinda R. F. Treadwell, Susan J. M. Jones, Catharine H. Grover, Mary A. Harris, Elizabeth M. Treadwell, *Assistants.*
Benjamin F. Baker, *Music Teacher.*

BRIMMER.

Joshua Bates, jr., *Grammar Master.*
John H. Butler, *Writing Master.*
Sumner Albee and Daniel C. Brown, *Ushers.*
Ellen B. Cunningham and Lucy W. Butler, *Assistants.*
Edwin Bruce, *Music Teacher.*

CHAPMAN, FOR BOYS.

John P. Averill, *Master.*
William A. Jenks, *Usher.*
Martha E. Symmes, Sarah S. Chamberlin, and Marilla M. Caverno, *Assistants.*
Benjamin F. Baker, *Music Teacher.*

CHAPMAN, FOR GIRLS.

Loring Lothrop, *Master.*
Angeline A. Brigham, Georgietta Reid, Lucy A. Wiggin, *Assistants.*

DWIGHT, FOR BOYS.

James A. Page, *Master.*
William F. Basto, *Usher.*
Clarissa Guild, Eliza M. Josselyn, Maria E. Damrell, H. Draper, *Assistants.*
Benjamin F. Baker, *Music Teacher.*

DWIGHT, FOR GIRLS.

George B. Hyde, *Master.*
Elizabeth G. Underhill, Eliza A. Harding, Mary Chandler, *Assistants.*

ELIOT.

William O. Ayres, *Grammar Master.*
Levi Conant, *Writing Master.*
Quincy A. Gilmore, *Usher.*
Caroline W. Carter, Hannah M. Damon, Anna S. Carter, Eliza L. Felt, Caroline A. Conant, *Assistants.*
L. H. Southard, *Music Teacher.*

ENDICOTT, FOR BOYS.

John F. Nourse, *Master.*
Jacob Tuck, *Usher.*
Jane Pearson, Sarah S. French, *Assistants.*
L. H. Southard, *Music Teacher.*

ENDICOTT, FOR GIRLS.

Joseph W. Jenks, *Master.*
Almira J. Keith, Malvina R. Brigham, Elizabeth McKay, *Assistants.*

FRANKLIN.

Barnum Field, *Master.*
Hannah S. Tirrell, Catherine T. Simonds, *Head Assistants.*
Sarah Ann Gale, Sarah A. M. Cushing, Caroline A. Green, Lucy M. Beck, Frances A. Hardon, Mary Jane Leach, Frances E. Field, *Assistants.*
George W. Pratt, *Music Teacher.*

HANCOCK.

George Allen, jr., *Master.*
Percival W. Bartlett, *Sub-Master.*
Henrietta L. Pierce, Sarah E. White, Hannah S. Austin, Mary A. Lewis, Helen M. Johnson, S. O. H. Eaton, Lucy W. Ripley, Mary F. Kimball, *Assistants.*
L. H. Southard, *Music Teacher.*

HAWES.

John A. Harris, *Master.*
Charles A. Morrill, *Sub-Master.*
Henry E. Hardon, *Usher.*
Ann E. Dearborn, Louisa T. Henderson, Lucy C. Jenks, *Assistants.*
Albert Drake, *Music Teacher.*

JOHNSON, NORTH.

Richard G. Parker, *Master.*
Rebecca P. Barry, Helen E. Vans, Caroline Leighton, *Assistants.*
Benjamin F. Baker, *Music Teacher.*

JOHNSON, SOUTH.

Joseph Hale, *Master.*
Martha E. Towne, Almira Seymour, Mary Jane Danforth, *Assistants.*

LYMAN, FOR BOYS.

Hosea H. Lincoln, *Master.*
James F. Blackinton, *Usher.*
Eliza L. Pierce, Mary O. Bulfinch, E. Jeanette Aborn, *Assistants.*
Benjamin F. Baker, *Music Teacher.*

LYMAN, FOR GIRLS.

Aaron L. Ordway, *Master.*
Mary P. Moulton, Alice Cunningham, Eliza A. Wiggin, Jane Hight, *Assistants.*

MATHER.

Josiah A. Stearns, *Grammar Master.*
Jonathan Battles, jr., *Writing Master.*
Asa Weeks, *Usher.*
Margaret A. Moody, Lucy Floyd, Ann J. Drake, Margaret A. Pease, Elizabeth B. Raynolds, Alice Cooper, *Assistants.*
Albert Drake, *Music Teacher.*

MAYHEW.

William D. Swan, *Master.*
Winslow Battles, *Sub-Master.*
Robert Swan, Dean F. Battles, *Ushers.*
Elizabeth L. West, Elizabeth D. Moulton, Elizabeth P. Hopkins, Mary L. Rowland, *Assistants.*
John W. Adams, *Music Teacher.*

OTIS.

Isaac F. Shepard, *Grammar Master.*
Benjamin Drew, jr., *Writing Master.*
Samuel W. Mason, *Usher.*
S. W. I. Copeland, Sophia Shepard, Emeline French, Martha A. Palmer, Miranda Sherman, *Assistants.*
Edwin Bruce, *Music Teacher.*

PHILLIPS.

James Hovey, *Grammar Master.*
Samuel Swan, *Writing Master and Teacher of Music.**
Amphion Gates, John M. Colcord, *Ushers.*
Ellen M. Coolidge and Catharine P. Dow, *Assistants.*

QUINCY.

John D. Philbrick, *Master.*
Charles E. Valentine, *Sub-Master.*
B. W. Putnam and James O. Brown, *Ushers.*
Sarah G. Hay, Josephine L. Tucker, Lydia A. Hanson, Elizabeth A. G. Philbrick, Abbie Dalton, Sarah B. Putnam, Dora Norton, Sophia A. Leavitt, Caroline M. Cotton, Olive Kelley, *Assistants.*
Benjamin F. Baker, *Music Teacher.*

SMITH.

Thomas Paul, *Master.*
James C. Johnson, *Music Teacher.*

WELLS.

Cornelius Walker, *Grammar Master.*
Reuben Swan, jr., *Writing Master.*
William H. Swan, *Usher.*
Matilda A. Gerry, Caroline F. Housley, Mary S. Carter, Sarah J. Lothrop, *Assistants.*
Edwin Bruce, *Music Teacher.*

WINTHROP, NORTH.

Henry Williams, jr., *Master.*
Elizabeth R. Briggs, Susan A. W. Loring, Caroline A. Rogers, *Assistants.*
Lowell Mason, *Music Teacher.*

WINTHROP, SOUTH.

Samuel L. Gould, *Master.*
Martha I. Cotton, Frances M. Huffmaster, Abbie R. Parish, *Assistants.*

* No *increase* of *salary* allowed for instruction in Music.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ORGANIZATION OF THE PRIMARY SCHOOLS.

FEBRUARY, 1850.

FRANCIS BROWN, PRESIDENT. ALVAN SIMONDS, SECRETARY.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

JOSEPH M. WIGHTMAN, *Chairman*, 33 Cornhill. ALVAN SIMONDS, *Secretary*, Broadway.

JAMES B. DOW, 138 Washington street.
FRANCIS BROWN, 85 Leverett street.
DAVID KIMBALL, 21 Washington street.
THOMAS WILDER, 136 Sea street.
ALBERT BOWKER, 117 Webster street,
S. F. McCLEARY, JR., 10 Ashland street.
WILLIAM H. CALROW, 127 Webster street.
MOSES J. GOVE, 22 Havre street.
GEORGE M. RANDALL, 195 Harrison Avenue.
BENJAMIN H. GREENE, 77 Dover street.

LUTHER PARKS, JR., Suffolk street.
ALEXANDER H. RICE, 29 Indiana place,
GEORGE W. PARMENTER, 178 Hanover street.
CHARLES E. WIGGIN, 12 Sheafe street.
LEVI TUCKER, 21 Sheafe street.
FREDERICK W. SAWYER, 20 Court street.
CHARLES DEMOND, 46 Washington street.
OLIVER DITSON, 115 Washington street.
ASAPH B. CHILD, 17½ Tremont Row.
WILLIAM H. LEARNARD, JR., Snowhill street.

COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL HOUSES.

THOMAS B. HAWKES, *Sec'y.*	WILLIAM EATON,	JOHN ODIN, JR.
EBENEZER ATKINS,	A. G. WYMAN,	JOHN T. DINGLEY,
JOHN ATKINS,	WILLIAM E. TOWNSEND,	OLIVER CARTER,
JAMES B. ALLEN,	A. T. TURNER.	SOLON JENKINS,
WILLIAM DYKE,	BENJ. P. RICHARDSON,	STEPHEN JENNEY,
THOMAS RESTIEAUX,	JOSIAH F. BUMSTEAD,	CHARLES E. COOK,
ISAIAH FAXON,	AZOR MAYNARD,	HENRY R. ANDREWS,
		ASA B. SNOW.

COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL BOOKS.

JOHN PUTNAM,	ALFRED E. GILES,	FRANCIS J. HUMPHREY.
JAMES B. DOW,	FRANCIS BROWN,	

COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE WITH THE GRAMMAR SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

FRANCIS BROWN,	JOSEPH M. WIGHTMAN,	ALVAN SIMONDS.

SCHOOLS.

NO. AND TEACHER OF SCHOOL.	No. Pupils	LOCATION.	VISITING COMMITTEE.
DISTRICT No. 2.			
Chairman. ISRAEL P. PROCTOR, *Secretary.*			
1 Miss Harriet S. Boody,	54	Tileston street, corner of Short,	Levi Tucker, 21 Sheafe street
2 Mary S. Gale,	60	Ingraham school house,	John J. Meston, 3 Snowhill court
3 Martha F. Boody,	69	Ingraham school house,	William P. Howard, Hanover cor. Charter
4 Rebecca D. Viles,	66	Moon street, corner of Fleet,	
5 Susan Page,	59	Moon street, corner of Fleet,	
*6 Betsey L. Canedy,	50	Ingraham school house,	William Dyke, 13 Snowhill street
†7 Mary Eliza Keith,	22	Sun-court street,	Israel P. Proctor, 76 Fulton street
8 Martha Ann Dudley,	51	Short street, corner of Tileston,	E. W. Goddard, 5 Unity street
*9 Harriet Maria James,	56	Eliot school house,	(Mr. Proctor.)
DISTRICT No. 3.			
JOHN P. OBER, *Chairman.* ALEXANDER WOOD, *Secretary.*			
1 Miss Abigail S. Rich,	66	22 Charter street,	S. P. Oliver, 138 Salem street
2 Sarah B. Smith,	67	Rear of 22 Charter street,	T. Restieaux, Hanover, cor. Cross street.
3 Sarah E. Pierce,	73	Hanover avenue,	Henry G. Clark, 95 Salem street
4 Ann Maria Parkman,	62	Rear of 22 Charter street,	Alexander Wood, 161 Salem street
5 Mary S. Stoddard,	81	Hanover avenue,	William H. Learnard, 12 Snowhill street
6 Mary A. Cushing,	67	Rear of 22 Charter street,	John P. Ober, 13 Sheafe street
*7 Harriet W. Barker,	56	Hanover avenue,	James Perkins, 8 Prince street.
8 Caroline L. Frost,	69	22 Charter street,	Freeborn F. Raymond, 3 Garden court st
9 C. Angusta Hall,			Charles J. F. Sherman,

DISTRICT No. 4.

Chairman. WILLIAM H. LEARNARD, Jr., *Secretary.*

1	Miss Nancy B. Seaver,	54	N. Margin, opp. Baptist Meeting H.	Charles E. Wiggin, 12 Sheafe street
2	Anna Maria Whitney,	54	N. Margin, opp. Baptist Meeting H.	Elijah Stearns, Salem, corner Prince street
3	Charlotte Seaman,	51	Bennet Avenue,	Isaiah Faxon, 119 Salem street
4	Luthera Norton,	64	Bennet Avenue,	Dexter W. Wiswell, 72 Prince street
5	Frances C. Sherman,	60	Thacher street,	Henry D. Fowle, 33 Prince street
6	Elizabeth F. Pettes,	57	Thacher street,	
*7	Janette S. Hook,	66	Thacher street,	(Mr. Faxon)
*8	Maria Fisher,	65	Snowhill street,	William H. Learnard, jr., 12 Snowhill st.

DISTRICT No. 5.

WILLIAM EATON, *Chairman.* GEORGE HUBBARD, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Catharine W. Callender,	82	Parkman place,	E. D. G. Palmer, 3 1-2 Portland street
2	Margaret W. Hall,	73	Parkman place,	George W. Parmenter, 178 Hanover street
3	Mary E. Parker,	57	Richmond street,	E. H. Snelling, 108 Salem street
4	Margaret A. Peterson,	75	Hancock school house,	George Hubbard, 56 1-2 Hanover street
*5	Harriet M. Warren,	73	Old Hancock school house	Joseph F. White, Hanover, corner Fleet st
6	Frances E. Wilkins,	73	Hancock school house,	William Eaton, 91 Salem street
7	Harriet A. Adams,	78	Old Hancock school house	Charles A. Turner, 218 Hanover street
*8	Mrs. Harriet A. Farrow,	53	Mr. Streeter's Vestry,	Sebastian Streeter, 198 Hanover street

DISTRICT No. 6.

A. G. WYMAN, *Chairman.* CHARLES H. ATWOOD, *Secretary.*

1	Mrs. Sarah N. Swan,	69	Otis school house,	Loammi Crosby, 21 Hancock street
2	Miss Frances A. Chester,	75	Otis school house,	Abraham G. Wyman, 23 Green street
3	Anna A. James,	66	Court House, Leverett street,	(Mr. Wyman)
4	Mrs. Matilda Merriam,	62	Spring street place,	Hiram Hacket, 69 Brighton street
5	Miss Elizabeth G. Barber,	58	Spring street place,	Eben. H. Little, 75 Leverett street
6	Mrs. Elizabeth S. Grater,	61	4 Milton street,	Charles H. Atwood, 25 Green street
7	Miss Elizabeth S. Foster,	65	4 Milton street,	S. F. McCleary, jr., 10 Ashland street
*8	Augusta H. Foster,	63	Court House, Leverett street,	J. V. C. Smith, 12 Bowdoin street
9	Anna J. Millett,	64	Court House, Leverett street,	James Fowle, 37 Chambers street
10	Mary L. Bailey,	48	Court House, Leverett street,	

NO. AND TEACHER OF SCHOOL.	No Pupils	LOCATION.	VISITING COMMITTEE.

DISTRICT No. 7.

THOMAS B. HAWKES, *Chairman.* WILLIAM R. HORTON, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Mary A. Howe,	64	Friend street,	Samuel Kneeland, jr., 22 Cresent Place,
2	Lucy M. Chester,	62	Friend street,	Hiram Wellington, 10 Court street
*3	Sophia White,	60	Mayhew school house,	Francis Brown, 83 Leverett street
4	Lucy A. Clark,	64	Mayhew school house,	S. H. Winkley, 7 Bulfinch street
5	Bethia Whiting,	70	Mayhew school house,	Thomas B. Hawkes, 10 Exchange street
6	Mrs. Harriett Whipple,	66	South Margin street,	Charles F. Eaton, 5 Eaton street
7	Miss Maria E. Clapp,	60	Merrimac street,	William R. Horton, 2 Allen street

DISTRICT No. 8.

DAVID KIMBALL, *Chairman.* WILLIAM E. TOWNSEND, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Nancy J. McClure,	71	Blossom street,	William E. Townsend, 8 Cambridge st.
2	Sarah A. Cushing,	59	Blossom street,	Henry J. Gardner, 13 Mount Vernon st.
3	Elizabeth C. Barrett,	61	Blossom street,	John Bigelow, 42 Blossom street
4	Mary S. Watts,	74	Wells school house,	William H. Guild, 5 Walnut street
†5	Marianne Stephens,	60	Smith school house, Belknap street,	James B. Dow, 138 1-2 Washington street
6	Sarah E. Wiesenthal,	59	Bowdoin street Vestry,	David Kimball, 28 Washington street
*†7	Harriett H. King,	42	Smith school house,	(Mr. Guild)

DISTRICT No. 9.

A. D. PARKER, *Chairman.* F. W. SAWYER, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Sarah C. Moore,	76	Phillips school house,	Aurelius D. Parker, 20 Court street
2	Mrs. Lydia F. Poole,	64	May street,	Benjamin F. Stevens, 12 Hancock street
3	Miss Mary E. Henry,	58	May street,	Eliphalet P. Hartshorn, 24 Blossom street
4	Elizabeth B. Hartshorn,	75	West Cedar street,	Alfred T. Turner, 59 Pinckney street
5	Elizabeth H. Greene,	70	West Cedar street,	Frederic W. Sawyer, 20 Court street
*6	Elizabeth S. Kidder,	58	West Cedar street,	Francis J. Humphrey, 1 Myrtle street
7	Martha L. Kidder,	59	Phillips school house,	Samuel L. Abbott, 72 Mount Vernon street
8	R. Maria Sanborn,	30	Western avenue,	James B. Gregerson, 33 Hancock street
9	Sarah A. Turner,			Andrew Cushing, 38 Myrtle street

DISTRICT No. 10.

L. S. CRAGIN, *Chairman.* CHARLES DEMOND, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Lydia B. Felt,	71	Fort Hill,	Lorenzo S. Cragin, 82 Mount Vernon st
2	Celeste Weed,	71	Lane place,	Jonas Evans, Purchase corner Pearl street
3	Mrs. Charlotte A. Curtis,	86	Lane place,	Ormond Dutton, 7 Gridley street
4	Miss A. M. Lecain,	71	Fort Hill,	Benjamin P. Richardson, 6 Hancock ave.
5	Mrs. Sarah M. Messer,	76	Lane place,	Alfred E. Giles, 46 Washington street
*6	Miss Emily Peaslee,	64	Fort Hill,	W. L. G. Hunt, 5 Quincy place
7	Helene I. Hopkins,	70	Lane place,	S. Lovett, Milk street
8	Abigail M. Parker,	78	Lane place,	Charles Demond, 4 Court street
9	Harriette B. Cutler,	63	Fort Hill,	Thomas F. Chase, 38 Pearl street
10	Maria W. Parker,	62	45 Pearl street,	J. B. Hutchinson, 21 Pearl street
*11	Sarah S. Parsons,	63	Fort Hill,	Sawyer S. Stone, 82 Atkinson street
12	Lydia S. Chandler,		Fort Hill,	Loring Norcross, 73 Kilby street
13	Maria B. Clapp,		69 Purchase street,	R. L. Merriam, 64 Summer street,

DISTRICT No. 11.

OLIVER DITSON, *Chairman.* SAMUEL K. WHIPPLE, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Angelia M. Newmarch,	65	13 Williams street,	Charles Brooks, 12 Bedford street
2	Rebecca R. Thayer,	66	Franklin street,	Oliver Ditson, 115 Washington street
3	Julia B. Lombard,	57	Purchase place,	William H. Dennet, 134 Washington st
4	Mrs. Rosalie A. Dudley,	70	13 Williams street,	Josiah F. Bumstead, 134 Washington st
5	Abigail W. Wilder,	74	Odeon place,	Samuel K. Whipple, 100 Washington st
*6	Miss H. B. Haven,	81	13 Williams street,	T. R. Marvin, 24 Congress street
*7	Mrs. Rachel Read,	—	Odeon place,	

DISTRICT No. 12.

DANIEL T. COIT, *Chairman.* THOMAS S WRIGHT, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Harriette A. Bettis,	69	Essex place,	Azor Maynard, 40 Hudson street
2	Harriet A. Parker,	65	South street court,	Daniel T. Coit, 12 High street
3	Susan E. Gibbs,	68	South street court,	Thomas Wilder, 136 Sea street
4	Mary Williams,	68	Essex place,	
*5	Mrs. Ann Juliet Loring,	49	Essex place,	Thomas S. Wright, 32 Harrison avenue
6	Miss Elizabeth C. Frink,	70	South street court,	N. Metcalf, 17 Franklin street
7	Sarah J. Tinkham,			

NO. AND TEACHER OF SCHOOL.	No. Pupils	LOCATION.	VISITING COMMITTEE.

DISTRICT No. 13.

JOHN ODIN, JR., *Chairman.* THOMAS A. GODDARD, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Charlotte Gorham,	56	Boylston street,	Jonathan Preston, 79 Boylston street
2	Eliza A. Shearer,	65	Harvard street Vestry,	Jonathan Ellis, Pine place
3	Hannah L. Billings,	60	Newbern place,	Daniel B. Newhall, 33 Carver street
4	Mary B. Swett,	64	Tremont street	Albert L. Lincoln, 7 Dix place
5	Anna M. Parker,	55	Boylston street,	Thomas A. Goddard, 161 Tremont street
6	Sarah A. Cheever,	58	Newbern place,	Greenleaf C. Sanborn, 5 Exchange street
7	Hannah E. Moore,	54	Harvard street Vestry,	Edward Reed, 1 Oak place
8	Sarah R. Bowles,	65	Tremont street,	George M. Randall, 195 Harrison avenue
9	Tempie S. Blish,	47	Tremont street,	John Odin, jr., 88 Tremont street
10	Julia A. Bird,	41	Boylston street,	William Brown, 481 Washington street

DISTRICT No. 14.

JOHN T. DINGLEY, *Chairman.* A. A. WATSON, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Harriette A. T. Stodder,	62	South Cedar street,	Joseph M. Wightman, 69 Carver street
2	C. M. E. Richardson,	55	Newbern place,	John T. Dingley, 17 Fayette street
3	Eliza A. Bailey,	65	Universalist Vestry, Warren street,	Otis A. Skinner, 7 Fayette street
4	Elizabeth D. Brown,	60	Beach street Vestry,	A. A. Watson, 25 Harrison avenue
*5	Dorcas B. Baldwin,	69	South Cedar street,	Alfred Mudge, 1 Dix place
6	Mary M. Dingley,	55	South Cedar street,	Thacher Beal, 249 Tremont street
7	Helen A. W. Peck,	28	Harvard street vestry,	Horace Dupee, 575 Washington street

DISTRICT No. 15.

WILLIAM DALL, *Chairman.* OLIVER CARTER, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Eliza Ann Tirrell,	60	Castle street, corner of Middlesex st.,	Samuel Tolman, 9 Orange street
2	Caroline A. Miller,	70	Franklin school house,	William Dall, 668 Washington street
3	Coolidge,	71	Franklin school house,	Oliver Carter, 4 Garland street
*4	Mary Wildes,	87	Franklin school house,	William E. Blanchard, 18 Garland street
5	Mrs. Mary E. Ridgway,	74	Franklin school house,	Benjamin H. Greene, 77 Dover street
6	Miss Emeline J. Brown,	52	Castle street, corner of Middlesex st.,	
7	Augusta Ann Minot,	67	Suffolk street,	(Mr. Dall)

DISTRICT No. 16.

ALVAN SIMONDS, *Chairman.* ALBERT J. WRIGHT, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Lucretia S. Day,	71	Silver street,	Alvan Simonds, 1 Division street
2	Elizabeth C. Toombs,	57	Silver street,	William Eaton, 278 Broadway
3	Lucinda Smith,	63	Silver street,	Edward H. Brainard, 159 Broadway
4	Emily R. Baxter,	66	Mather school house,	Albert J. Wright, 197 Broadway
*5	Susan S. Sproul,	58	Mather school house,	Charles J. F. Allen, 73 Broadway
6	Mary A. Macnair,	51	Rear Mather school house,	Joseph Smith, 77 Broadway
7	Hannah C. Merritt,	63	Silver street,	Solon Jenkins, Turnpike street
8	Rebecca H. Bird,	65	Athens street,	Charles Mead, 100 Turnpike street
9	Mary Lincoln,	70	Athens street,	Cranston Howe, 87 Broadway
10	Eleanor Randall,	61	Silver street,	John D. Richardson, 84 Fourth street
*11	Merey T. Cole,	66	Silver street,	John A. Stevens, 81 Broadway
12	Mary E. Howe,	59	Phillips Church Vestry,	Caleb Gill, 145 Broadway

DISTRICT No. 17.

THEODORE D. COOK, *Chairman.* JOHN PUTNAM, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Elizabeth S. Kettell,	54	Near Hawes place church,	Obadiah Rich, Broadway, near K street
2	Lucinda Hathorne,	71	Rear Hawes school house,	Henry Homer, 225 Fourth street
3	Mary D. Tilton,	59	Rear Hawes school house,	John W. Alvord, 237 Broadway,
4	Ann Floyd,	61	Bigelow school house,	Judah Baker, 239 Broadway
5	Joanna W. Davis,	64	Bigelow school house,	T. D. Cook, 235 Fourth street
6	Caroline N. Davis,	62	Bigelow school house,	Seriah Stevens, G street corner Third
*7	Elizabeth M. Morrill,	48	Blanchard's building,	
8	Sarah C. Hayward,	54	Rear Lyceum hall,	Zibeon Southard, 306 Broadway
9	Mary H. Faxon,	67	Blanchard's building,	Stephen Jenney, 327 Broadway
10	Susan W. Smith,	45	Near Hawes place church,	J. H. Cheney, cor. G street & Broadway
11	Sarah E. R. Manning,	64	Bigelow school house,	John Putnam, 301 Broadway

NO. AND TEACHER OF SCHOOL.	No. Pupils	LOCATION.	VISITING COMMITTEE.

DISTRICT No. 18.

CHARLES E. COOK, *Chairman.* JOSEPH H. ALLEN *Secretary.*

1	Miss Jane S. Hobart,	79	Genesee street,	Otis Kimball, Common street
2	Caroline A. Jacobs,	65	Indiana street,	Alexander H. Rice, 29 Indiana place
3	Mrs. Hannah C. Hayden,	74	Indiana street,	G. W. McLellan, 6 Florence street
*4	Miss Priscilla S. Taft,	75	Brimmer school house,	Joseph H. Allen, 279 Tremont street
5	Elizabeth Goodridge,	68	Brimmer school house,	Charles E. Cook, 220 Washington street
6	Susan C. Evans,	75	Genesee street,	Albert T. Minot, 56 Dover street
*7	E. Maria Simonds,	63	Genesee street,	William Willett, 9 Orange street
8	Margaret Simonds,	70	E. Orange street,	Aaron H. Bean, 7 Common street
*9	Elizabeth S. Emmons,	56	E. Orange street,	Theodore P. Hale, 7 Ashland avenue
10	Mary C. Greene,		E. Orange street,	G. W. Frothingham, Florence street

DISTRICT No. 19.

SAMUEL B. CRUFT, *Chairman.* LUTHER PARKS, Jr., *Secretary.*

1	Miss Caroline L. Tyler,	74	Dedham street,	Alvah Hobbs, Suffolk, corner of Canton st
2	Mary A. Hall,	69	Worcester street,	Henry R. Andrews, 3 Brookline street
3	Mrs. Elizabeth Newman,	75	Northampton street,	Stephen Tucker, 837 Washington street
4	Eleanor L. Browne,	69	Dwight school house,	Andrew J. Loud, Suffolk street
5	Miss Ann J. Bolden,	61	Suffolk street chapel,	A. Parker Melzar, Suffolk cor. Canton st
6	Harriott S. Keith,	67	Dwight school house,	S. B. Cruft, Suffolk, corner Newton street
7	Eliza C. Gould,	60	Suffolk street chapel,	N. C. Stevens, 6 Brookline street
8	Ellen F. Andrews,	57	Suffolk street chapel,	Luther Parks, jr., Suffolk street

DISTRICT No. 20.

ASAPH B. CHILD, *Chairman.* ASA B. SNOW, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Mary E. Parker,	62	Winthrop school house,	J. A. Cummings, 23 Tremont row
2	Sarah Eveleth,	60	Winthrop school house,	Joseph F. Ainsworth, 111 Washington st.
3	Mary E. Fessenden,	68	East street place,	Asaph B. Child, Pavilion
4	Caroline A. Morris,	67	East street place,	N. T. Edson, 76 State street
*5	Frances Torrey,	45	East street place,	Lyman Mason, 20 Court street
6	Mercy B. Delano,	62	East street place,	Asa B. Snow, 20 Harrison avenue
*7	Sarah B. Bruce,	51	Sea street,	(Dr. Child,)
8	Mary A. Easterbrook	73	Sea street,	Charles C. Barry, 16 Orange street
9	Ellen V. Hunt,	71	Ward Room, East street,	E. W. Blake, 28 Harrison avenue
10	J. J. Merrill,			

EAST BOSTON.

DISTRICT No. 1. EBENEZER ATKINS, *Chairman.* WILLIAM H. CALROW, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Sarah R. Pierce,	64	Bennington street,	George Sturtevant, 112 Meridian street
2	Hannah C. Atkins,	77	Lexington street,	William H. Calrow, 127 Webster street
3	Katherine W. Lincoln,	78	Lexington street,	Morrill Cole, Eutaw street
*4	Mrs. Laura A. Waterhouse,	69	Lexington street,	Ebenezer Atkins, 66 Paris street
5	Miss Frances E. Tower,	66	Bennington street,	William H. Delano, 50 Saratoga street
6	Rutha E. Crosby,	61	Bennington street,	Henry Brevoort, Webster street

DISTRICT No. 2. JOHN ATKINS, *Chairman.* DAVID MORGAN, *Secretary.*

1	Miss Martha J. Newcomb,	64	Paris street,	Joseph Robbins, Maverick street
2	Rosalinda Morse,	58	Border street,	Sewall F. Parcher, Maverick square
3	Abby Crosby,	66	Border street,	M. J. Gove, 22 Havre street
*4	Esther L. Morse,	70	Border street,	Nathaniel P. Gordon, 9 Hotel street,
5	Lucy C. Osborn,	66	Paris street,	John Atkins, 68 Paris street
6	Sarah M. Lincoln,	73	Paris street,	David Morgan, 4 Sumner street

NO. AND TEACHER OF SCHOOL.	No. Pupils	LOCATION.	VISITING COMMITTEE.
DISTRICT No. 3.	ALBERT BOWKER, *Chairman*		L. J LIVERMORE, *Secretary.*
1 Miss Elizabeth Lincoln,	73	Sumner street,	Albert Bowker, 117 Webster street
*2 Elizabeth H. Allen,	79	Webster street,	James B. Allen, 113 Webster street
3 Susan H. M. Swan,	80	Sumner street,	L. J. Livermore, 123 Webster street
4 Frances W. Redding,	80	Orleans street,	Thomas D. Demond, 114 Webster street
5 Susan D. Wildes,	81	Sumner street,	Miles Sanford, 4 Terrace place
6 Martha Bowker,			E. V. Glover, jr., 1 City Wharf

* These are Schools for Special Instruction. † These are Schools for colored children.

Salaries of Teachers, $300 each, and $25 each for care of room.

188 Schools.—Number of Pupils, August 1, 1850, 11,376.

WARD OFFICERS.

1851.

Ward No. 1.

Warden.	*Inspectors.*
William Eaton,	William D. Mellen,
	George H. Ames,
Clerk.	John D. W. Joy,
Charles A. Turner,	William Deblois,
	Enoch H. Snelling, Jr.

Ward No. 2.

Warden.	*Inspectors.*
Richard Libby,	Robert R. Kent,
	Mark Googins,
Clerk.	Edmund Snow,
Gaius Allen,	John Rand,
	George H. Mills.

Ward No. 3.

Warden.	*Inspectors.*
Ephraim Nute,	George H. Lane,
	Jonas G. Shillaber,
Clerk.	Hiland Lockwood,
Nathan H. Hartwell,	James W. Russell,
	Timothy K. Tripp.

Ward No. 4.

Warden.	*Inspectors.*
George M. Browne,	Henry C. Brooks,
	Eben W. Rollins,
Clerk.	Thomas F. Nutter,
J. Franklin Bates,	John H. Reed,
	George Russell.

Ward No. 5.

Warden.	*Inspectors.*
Eben H. Little,	Edward H. Tombs,
	Joel W. Norcross,
Clerk.	John S. Pear,
A. E. Johonnot,	Edmund W. Converse,
	George H. Wyman,

Ward No. 6.

Warden.	*Inspectors.*
David Kimball,	Newton M. Keen,
	Edward M. Carey,
Clerk.	Theodore Baker,
J. Mason Parker,	Sidney Bartlett, Jr.
	James C. Dunn, Jr.

Ward No. 7.

Warden.	*Inspectors.*
Charles H. Brown,	W. C. Merriam,
	H. E. Bayley,
Clerk.	George Dickinson,
Joseph M. Bell,	George L. Pratt,
	Henry A. Whitney.

Ward No. 8.

Warden.	*Inspectors.*
Clement Willis,	Abram French,
	Reuben J. Todd,
Clerk.	R. B. Lincoln,
Stephen G. Deblois,	Joseph Lovejoy,
	George H. Brown.

Ward No. 9.

Warden,	*Inspectors.*
Jesse Maynard,	William C. Eayrs,
	Lewis Wentworth,
Clerk.	Edward C. Wheelock,
Francis G. Whiston,	William W. Baker,
	George G. Williams.

Ward No. 10.

Warden,	*Inspectors.*
Henry W. Dutton,	
	Daniel Brown,
Clerk.	E. T. Russell, Jr.
George F. Woodman,	William A. Bell,
	Jesse Tirrell,

Ward No. 11.

Warden,	*Inspectors.*
Stephen Tucker,	William W. Keith,
	Moses H. Cate,
Clerk.	George Palmer,
John A. Cummings,	David W. Child,
	Charles Caverly.

Ward No. 12.

Warden,	*Inspectors.*
John D. Richardson,	Warren Kimball,
	Alvin Howard,
Clerk.	S. A. Stackpole,
Francis Jones,	W. A. Sprague,
	J. F. Whittemore.

TAXES.

THE amount of Taxes assessed on the Real and Personal Estates in the City of Boston, for the past six years, has been as follows:

1845.

Valuation of Real Estate, - - -	$81,991,400.00
Valuation of Personal Estates, - -	53,957,300.00
Total valuation, - - - - -	135,948,700.00
At $5.70 per $1,000. is - - -	774,907.59
No. of Polls, 24,287, at $1.50 each, is -	36,430.50
Total Tax for 1845, - - -	811,338.09

Increase over 1844, viz:

Property, *Real*,	$9,943,400, being about	12.127 per ct.
Personal,	7,555,000,	16.281
Total,	$17,498,400 being	14.77 per cent.
Polls,	1,948	8.70

1846.

Valuation of Real Estate, - - -	$90,119,600.00
Valuation of Personal Estates, - -	58,720,000.00
Total Valuation, - - - - -	148,839,600.00
At $6.00 per $1,000, is - - - -	893,037.60
No. of Polls 25,974 at $1.50, - - -	38,961.00
Total Tax for 1846, - - -	931,998.60

Increase over 1845, viz:

Property, *Real*,	$8,128,200.00, being about	9.91 per ct.
Personal,	4,762,700.00,	8.82
Total,	$12,890,900.00, being	9.48 per cent.
Polls,	1,687,	6.90

1847.

Valuation of Real Estate, - - -	$97,764,500.00
Valuation of Personal Estates, - -	64,595,900.00
Total valuation, - - - -	162,360,400.00
At $6.00 per $1.000, is - - -	974,162.40
No. of Polls 27,008, at $1.50 each, is	40,512.00
Total Tax for 1847, - - -	1,014,674.40

Increase over 1846, viz:

Property, *Real*,	$7,644,900.00	being about 8.48 per cent.
Personal,	5,875,900.00,	10.00
Total,	13,533,800.00,	being 9.08 per cent.
Polls,	1,034,	3.94

1848.

Valuation of Real Estate, - - -	$100,403,200.00
Valuation of Personal Estates, - -	67,324,800.00
Total valuation, - - - -	167,728,000.00
At $6.50 per $1,000, is - - -	1,090,232.00
No. of Polls, 27,726, $1.50 each, is -	41,589.00
Total Tax for 1848, - - -	1,131,821.00

Increase over 1847, viz:

Property, *Real*,	$2,638,700.00,	being about 2.70 per cent.
Personal,	2,728,900.00,	5.22
Total,	$5,367,600.00,	being 3.31 per cent.
Polls.	718,	2.66

1849.

Valuation of Real Estate, - - -	$102.827,500.00
Valuation of Personal Estates, - -	71,352,700.00
Total valuation, - - - -	174,180,200.00
At $6.50 per $1,000 is - - -	1,132,171.30
No of Polls, 28,363, at $1.50 each, is -	42,544.50
Total Tax for 1849, - - -	1,174,715.80

Increase over 1848, viz:

Property, *Real*,	$2,424,300,00,	being 2.4145 per cent.
Personal,	4,027,900.00,	5.9827
Total,	$6,452,200.00,	being 3.846 per cent.
Polls,	637,	2.297

1850.

Valuation of Real Estate - - -	$105,093,400.00
Valuation of Personal Estates, - -	74,907,100.00
Total valuation, - - - -	180,000,500.00
At $6.80 per $1,000, is - - -	1,224,003.40
No. of Polls, 28,018, at $1.50 each, is -	42,027.00
Total Tax for 1850, - - -	1,266,030.40

Increase over 1849, viz:

Property, *Real*,	$2,265,900	being 2.203 per cent.
Personal,	3,554,400,	4.981
Total,	$5,820,300.00,	being 3.341 per cent.
Polls *decreased*,	345.00,	being a loss of 12.203.

CITY DEBT AT DIFFERENT PERIODS.

1823	-	$ 103,550
1825	-	305.873
1830	-	891,930
1835	-	1,147,398
1840	-	1,698,232
1845	-	1,163,266
1846	January 1st.	1,085,200
1847	" "	1,033,766
1848	" "	1,112,906
1849	" "	1,354,332
1850	" "	1.623,823
1851	" "	1,756,000

REAL AND PERSONAL ESTATE.

The following table shows the value of the Real and Personal Estate, with the number of persons assessed from the year 1794, and every subsequent fifth year, to 1850.

Year.	Real Estate.	Personal Estate.	Aggregate.	No. Bills.
	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	
1794	602,312 10 00	824,812 10 00	1,427,125 0 0	2953
	DOLLARS.	DOLLARS.	DOLLARS.	
1799	3,224,100	3,766,200	6,990,300	3600
1804	13,753,000	15,328,300	29,081,300	5230
1809	19,712,000	16,617,200	36,329.200	6772
1814	17,871,400	15,164,800	33,037,200	6617
1819	22,795,800	16,583,400	39,379,200	7851
1824	27,303,800	22,540,000	49,807,800	10980
1829	36,963,800	24,104,200	61,068,000	13311
1834	43,140,600	31,665,200	74,805,800	15652
1839	58,577,800	33,248,600	91,826,400	18151
1844	72,048,000	46,402,300	118,450,300	24817
1849	102,827,500	71,352,700	174,180,200	32396
1850	105,093,400	74,907,100	180,000,500	32483

POPULATION AT DIFFERENT PERIODS.

1800	24.937
1810	33,787
1820	43,298
1830	61,392
1835	78,603
1840	85,000
1845	114,366
1850	138,788

Modes and Time of appointment of the various City Officers, as prescribed by the City Ordinances, &c.

City Clerk—in Convention,	January.
Undertakers—Mayor and Aldermen,	January.
Visitors of Lunatic Hospital—Concurrent vote,	January or February.
Superintendents of North and South Free Bridges—Concurrent vote "first acted upon by the Mayor and Aldermen,"	January or February.
Engineers of Fire Department—Concurrent vote,	January or February.
Superintendent of Streets,	January or February.
Fence Viewers, Cullers of Hoops and Staves, Field Drivers, Pound Keepers, Inspectors of Lime,	January or February.
Officers to complain of Truants, &c.—Mayor and Aldermen,	January or February.
Surveyor General of Lumber—Concurrent vote,	February.
City Registrar—Concurrent vote,	February or March.
Assessors and Assistant Assessors—Concurrent vote,	March.
Weighers of Boats and Lighters, Sealers of Weights and Measures, Hay Weighers, Inspectors of Hay, Measurers of Wood and Bark—Mayor and Aldermen,	March or April.

Cochituate Water Board—Concurrent vote,	March or April.
Measurers of Leather—Mayor and Aldermen,	April.
Superintendent of Public Buildings—Concurrent vote,	April or May.
Superintendent of Public Lands—Concurrent vote,	April or May.
City Crier—Mayor and Aldermen,	May.
Overseers of House of Correction—Concurrent vote,	May.
Master of House of Correction—Concurrent vote,	May.
Directors of House of Industry, &c.—Concurrent vote,	May.
City Treasurer—In Convention.	May.
City Auditor—Concurrent vote,	May.
City Physician—Concurrent vote,	May.
Port Physician—Concurrent vote,	May.
City Marshal—Mayor and Aldermen,	May or June.
Consulting Physicians—Concurrent vote,	May or June.
Superintendent of Sewers and Drains—Concurrent vote,	May or June.
City Solicitor—Concurrent vote,	June.
Clerk of Faneuil Hall Market—Mayor and Aldermen,	June or July.
Constables—Mayor and Aldermen,	July.
Superintendent of Lunatic Hospital—Concurrent vote,	September or October.
City Engineer—Concurrent vote,	September or October.
Water Registrar—Concurrent vote,	September or October.

ORATORS OF BOSTON

Appointed by the Public Authorities.

On the Anniversary of the Boston Massacre, March 5, 1770.

1771. James Lovell, A. M.
1772. Gen. Joseph Warren, M. D.
1773. Benjamin Church, M. D.
1774. Hon. John Hancock.
1775. Gen. Joseph Warren, M. D.

1776. Rev. Peter Thacher.
1777. Benjamin Hichborn, Esq.
1778. Jonathan Williams Austin, Esq.
1779. Hon. William Tudor.
1780. Hon. Jonathan Mason.
1781. Hon. Thomas Dawes.
1782. Hon. George Richards Minot.
1783. Thomas Welsh, M. D.

On the Anniversary of the National Independence, July 4, 1776.

1783. John Warren, M. D.
1784. Benjamin Hichborn, Esq.
1785. John Gardiner, Esq.
1786. Jonathan Loring Austin, Esq.
1787. Hon. Thomas Dawes.
1788. Hon. Harrison Gray Otis.
1789. Samuel Stillman, D. D.
1790. Edward Gray, Esq.
1791. Thomas Crafts, Esq.
1792. Joseph Blake, Esq.
1793. Hon. John Quincy Adams.
1794. Hon. John Phillips.
1795. Hon. George Blake.
1796. John Lathrop, Jr., Esq.
1797. John Callender, Esq.
1798. Hon. Josiah Quincy.
1799. Hon. John Lowell.
1800. Hon. Joseph Hall.
1801. Charles Paine, Esq.
1802. Rev. William Emerson.
1803. Hon. William Sullivan.
1804. Thomas Danforth, M. D.
1805. Warren Dutton, Esq.
1806. Francis Dana Channing, Esq.
1807. Hon. Peter Oxenbridge Thacher.
1808. Andrew Ritchie, Jr., Esq.
1809. William Tudor, Jr., Esq.
1810. Alexander Townsend, Esq.
1811. Hon. James Savage.
1812. Benjamin Pollard, Esq.
1813. Hon. Edward St. Loe Livermore.
1814. Benjamin Whitwell, Esq.
1815. Hon. Lemuel Shaw.
1816. George Sullivan, Esq.
1817. Prof. Edward Tyrrel Channing.

1818. Hon. Francis Calley Gray.
1819. Hon. Franklin Dexter.
1820. Hon. Theodore Lyman, jr.
1821. Hon. Charles Greely Loring.
1822. Hon. John Chipman Gray.
1823. Charles Pelham Curtis, Esq.
1824. Francis Bassett, Esq.
1825. Charles Sprague, Esq.
1826. Hon. Josiah Quincy.
1827. William Powell Mason, Esq.
1828. Bradford Sumner, Esq.
1829. Hon. James Trecothick Austin.
1830. Hon. Alexander Hill Everett.
1831. Hon. John Gorham Palfrey.
1832. Hon. Josiah Quincy, Jr.
1833. Edward Goldsborough Prescott, Esq.
1834. Richard Sullivan Fay, Esq.
1835. Hon. George Stillman Hillard.
1836. Henry Willis Kinsman, Esq.
1837. Hon. Jonathan Chapman.
1838. Rev. Hubbard Winslow.
1839. Ivers James Austin, Esq.
1840. Thomas Power, Esq.
1841. George Ticknor Curtis, Esq.
1842. Hon. Horace Mann.
1843. Hon. Charles Francis Adams.
1844. Peleg Whitman Chandler, Esq.
1845. Charles Sumner, Esq.
1846. Fletcher Webster, Esq.
1847. Hon. Thomas Greaves Cary.
1848. Hon. Joel Giles.
1849. William Whitwell Greenough, Esq.
1850. Edwin Percy Whipple, Esq.

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CATALOGUE

OF THE

GOVERNMENT

OF THE

CITY OF BOSTON,

IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER OF THEIR SERVICE,

FROM ITS

INSTITUTION, MAY 1, 1822, TO JANUARY 1, 1851.

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INDEX.

PRELIMINARY REMARKS.

During twenty-nine Municipal years, one being but eight months, when the time of the City election was changed in 1825, one hundred and five citizens have served as Aldermen, thirty-five have deceased, two while in office. Of this number, thirty-eight have served one year; thirty-six, two years; thirteen, three years; seven, four years; six, five years; three, six years; one, eight years; one, eleven years.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Ward No.	1,	63	Members,	Ward No.	8,	53	Members,
" "	2,	53	"	" "	9,	49	"
" "	3,	58	"	" "	10,	62	"
" "	4,	55	"	" "	11,	63	"
" "	5,	58	"	" "	12,	74	"
" "	6,	47	"			—	
" "	7,	52	"			687	

Fifty-one citizens have represented two wards. Two citizens have represented three wards. Showing that six hundred and eighty-seven citizens have served in the Common Council, one hundred and twelve of whom have deceased, six while in office.

NOTE.

The asterisk denotes the deceased.

The Junior of Theodore Lyman omitted 1839. See Mayors.

ALDERMEN.

Nathaniel P. Russell, Daniel Baxter, Joseph H. Dorr, re-elected, and Thomas B. Wales and Redford Webster elected 1825, declined.

George Blake, re-elected for 1826, declined.

John Stevens, elected for 1832, died prior to the organization.

James Savage, elected for 1834, declined.

William Parker, elected for 1845, resigned.

George E. Head, elected for 1848, resigned—having been chosen one of the Principal Assessors.

COMMON COUNCIL.

William Bowes Bradford, Ward 3, elected 1822, did not qualify himself, declining to be sworn, there being then no provision for affirmation, except for Quakers.

Lucius Manlius Sargent, Ward 6, elected for 1827, declined.

Henry D. Gray and Isaac Harris, Ward 1; Eleazer Howard, Ward 2, and Joseph H. Thayer, Ward 9, elected for 1828, also Holmes Hinckley, Ward 11, for 1845, declined prior to the organization.

Samuel Thaxter, Ward 6, elected for 1830, declined.

William Foster, Ward 6, elected for 1831, declined.

John Bowles, Ward 3, re-elected for 1838, declined.

The Junior of George Morey, omitted 1829.

Asa Adams, Ward 3, took the intermediate name of Perry, 1830.

The Junior of Joshua Seaver, Ward 6, omitted 1833.

The Junior of Henry Fowle, Ward 2, omitted 1837.

The Junior of Francis Brinley, Ward 10, omitted 1838.

Washington P. Gragg, Ward 4, spelt Gregg since 1836.

There have been four successfully contested elections.*

The first, Feb. 22, 1830, vacated the seat of a member from Ward 6, on the ground that "closing the poll before the hour, at which the voters were notified it would be closed, was a violation of the rights of the voters."

The second, May 7, 1835, vacated the seats of the members of Ward 3, who were returned as having been elected at an adjourned meeting, December 11, 1834, on the ground of irregular proceeding to render the whole number of votes certain by taking the highest number of votes for candidates on each opposing ticket; adjournment of the meeting by the sole authority of the Warden, and other irregularities at the annual election, December 8.

The third case, March 7, 1839, vacated the seats of three members of Ward 12, on the ground that a number of illegal voters, sufficient to effect the choice, voted at the polls.

The fourth, February 9, 1843, vacated the seats of three members from Ward 1, returned as elected at the adjourned meeting, December 14, on the ground that four votes for non-resident candidates, (after having been first thrown out by the Ward officers,) †were counted at the annual election, De-

* During the present year the seats of two members from Ward 3 have been contested, on the ground that they were chosen at an adjourned meeting alleged to have been illegally held. The result of this contested election was not known at the date of publishing this Register.

† This fact was admitted though not stated in the report of the Committee.

cember 12, thereby preventing the choice of two other candidates, who, by excluding the said four votes, were by the decision of the Council, declared elected, leaving one vacancy.

The election of Mayor for 1845, was more warmly contested than on any former year. There were not less than eight several ballotings by the citizens. At the eighth trial, on the 21st of February, Thomas A. Davis was elected.

In the meantime, from January to February 27, 1845, William Parker, one of the Aldermen, having been elected Chairman of the Board of Aldermen, performed the duties of Mayor.

On the 6th of October, Thomas A. Davis, being in declining health, resigned the office of Mayor, which resignation, however, was not accepted by the City Council, and on the 22d of November he died, being the first Mayor who has died, while in office, since the organization of the City Government in 1822.

On the 11th of December, Josiah Quincy, Jr. was elected Mayor, by the City Council, for the unexpired term of 1845.

Benson Leavitt, one of the Board of Aldermen, acted as Chairman of the Board in the interval between the death of Mr. Davis and the election of Mr. Quincy.

1822.

MAYOR,

*JOHN PHILLIPS.

ALDERMEN,

*Samuel Billings,
*Ephraim Eliot,
Jacob Hall,
*Joseph Head,
Joseph Jenkins,
*Joseph Lovering,
*Nathaniel Pope Russell,
Bryant Parrott Tilden.

COMMON COUNCIL,

*WILLIAM PRESCOTT, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
William Barry,
*Thaddeus Page,
Charles Wells,
Simon Wilkinson.

Ward 2.
Martin Bates,
Benjamin Lamson,
Henry Orne,
*Joseph Stodder.

Ward 3.
*Theodore Dexter,
Joshua Emmons,
Samuel Jones.

Ward 4.
*Joseph Cooledge,
*Samuel Perkins,
Robert Gould Shaw,
Joel Thayer.

Ward 5.
George Washington Coffin,
Thomas Kendall,
Horatio Gates Ware,
Isaac Winslow.

Ward 6.
Samuel Appleton,
Thomas Motley,
Jesse Shaw,
*William Sullivan.

Ward 7.
*Jonathan Amory,
*Patrick Tracy Jackson,
*Augustus Peabody,
Enoch Silsby.

Ward 8.
*David Watts Bradlee,
*Peter Chardon Brooks,
*James Perkins,
*Benjamin Russell.

Ward 9.
*Jonathan Davis,
*Hawkes Lincoln,
*William Prescott,
John Welles.

Ward 10.
*Andrew Drake,
Daniel Lewis Gibbens,
*David Collson Moseley,
*Isaac Stevens.

Ward 11.
*Geo. Watson Brimmer,
*Asa Bullard,
*Barzillai Holmes,
*Winslow Lewis.

Ward 12.
Cyrus Alger,
John French,
*John Howe,
Moses Williams.

1823.

MAYOR,

JOSIAH QUINCY.

ALDERMEN,

*Daniel Baxter,
*George Odiorne,
*David Weld Child,
Joseph Hawley Dorr,
*Ashur Benjamin,
Enoch Patterson,
Caleb Eddy,
*Stephen Hooper.

COMMON COUNCIL,

JOHN WELLES, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
*Thaddeus Page,
Simon Wilkinsson,
*John Elliot,
Joseph Wheeler.

Ward 2.
Martin Bates,
Benjamin Lamson,
*Joseph Stodder,
*John Parker Boyd.

Ward 3.
*Theodore Dexter,
Samuel Jones,
*John Richardson Adan,
*John Damarisque Dyer.

Ward 4.
*Joseph Cooledge,
*Samuel Perkins,
Robert Gould Shaw,
Henry Farnam.

Ward 5.
Thomas Kendall,
Isaac Winslow,
Elias Haskell,
*John Sullivan Perkins.

Ward 6.
Joseph Stacy Hastings,
*Joel Prouty,
*John Stevens,
William Wright.

Ward 7.
*Jonathan Amory,
Enoch Silsby,
Samuel Swett,
Charles Pelham Curtis.

Ward 8.
*Benjamin Russell,
James Savage,
Eliphalet Williams,
Samuel King Williams.

Ward 9.
*Jonathan Davis,
*Hawkes Lincoln,
John Welles,
Lewis Tappan.

Ward 10.
Aaron Baldwin,
David Francis,
Francis Johonnot Oliver,
Thomas Beale Wales.

Ward 11.
*Asa Bullard,
*Charles Howard,
Josiah Stedman,
*Joseph Willett.

Ward 12.
Samuel Bradlee,
Noah Brooks,
Francis Jackson,
Charles Sprague.

1824.

MAYOR,

JOSIAH QUINCY.

ALDERMEN,

*Daniel Baxter,
*George Odiorne,
*David Weld Child,
Joseph Hawley Dorr,
*Ashur Benjamin,
Enoch Patterson,
Caleb Eddy,
*Stephen Hooper, (died September,)
Cyrus Alger, (November.)

COMMON COUNCIL.

FRANCIS JOHONNOT OLIVER, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
William Barry,
*John Elliot,
Joseph Wheeler,
Michael Tombs.

Ward 2.
*William Little, jr.
*Oliver Reed,
*Joseph Stone,
*Thaddeus Page.

Ward 3.
*John Richardson Adan,
*John Damarisque Dyer,
Edward Page,
*William Sprague.

Ward 4.
*Joseph Cooledge,
Robert Gould Shaw,
*Jeremiah Fitch,
Wm. Rounsville Pierce Washburn.

Ward 5.
Elias Haskell,
Eliphalet Porter Hartshorn,
George Washington Otis,
Winslow Wright.

Ward 6.
Joseph Stacy Hastings,
*Joel Prouty,
William Wright,
Thomas Wiley.

Ward 7.
Charles Pelham Curtis,
William Goddard,
*Elijah Morse,
Isaac Parker.

Ward 8.
*Benjamin Russell,
Eliphalet Williams,
Samuel King Williams,
Benjamin Willis.

Ward 9.
*Jonathan Davis,
*Hawkes Lincoln,
John Ballard,
John Chipman Gray.

Ward 10.
Thomas Beale Wales,
James Savage,
Phineas Upham,
Francis Johonnot Oliver.

Ward 11.
Josiah Stedman,
Samuel Frothingham,
Giles Lodge,
Charles Sprague.

Ward 12.
Samuel Bradlee,
Francis Jackson,
*Isaac Thom,
Charles Bemis.

1825.

MAYOR,

JOSIAH QUINCY.

ALDERMEN,

Daniel Carney,
*John Bellows,
*Josiah Marshall,
*John Damarisque Dyer,
*Thomas Welsh, jr.,
*George Blake,
*Henry Jackson Oliver,
John Bryant.

COMMON COUNCIL,

FRANCIS JOHONNOT OLIVER, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
William Barry,
*John Elliot,
*Robert Fennelly,
Lewis Lerow.

Ward 2.
*Oliver Reed,
*Scammel Penniman,
*Benjamin Clark,
*John Fenno.

Ward 3.
*John Richardson Adan,
*Thomas Wells,
*Abraham Williams Fuller,
Amos Farnsworth.

Ward 4.
*Joseph Cooledge,
Wm. Rounsville Pierce Washburn,
*George Hallett,
*Theodore Dexter.

Ward 5.
*John Sullivan Perkins,
Ezra Dyer,
*Charles Tracy,
*William Simonds.

Ward 6.
Joseph Stacy Hastings,
Thomas Wiley,
*Isaac Waters,
*Samuel Thaxter.

Ward 7.
Charles Pelham Curtis,
William Goddard,
*Elijah Morse,
Isaac Parker.

Ward 8.
Eliphalet Williams,
Benjamin Willis,
Jeffrey Richardson,
Josiah Bradlee.

Ward 9.
John Chipman Gray,
Franklin Dexter,
Jeremiah Smith Boies,
*Levi Meriam.

Ward 10.
Francis Johonnot Oliver,
James Savage,
*Jonathan Simonds,
John Parker Rice.

Ward 11.
Samuel Frothingham,
Giles Lodge,
George Morey, jr.,
*Joshua Vose.

Ward 12.
*John Stevens,
Adam Bent,
*Oliver Fisher,
Ephraim Groves Ware.

1826.

MAYOR,

JOSIAH QUINCY.

ALDERMEN,

Daniel Carney,
*John Bellows,
*Josiah Marshall,
*Thomas Welsh, jr.
*Henry Jackson Oliver,
John Foster Loring,
Francis Jackson,
*Edw. Hutchinson Robbins.

COMMON COUNCIL,

*JOHN RICHARDSON ADAN, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
William Barry,
Lewis Lerow,
Lemuel P. Grosvenor,
Samuel Aspinwall.

Ward 2.
*Scammel Penniman,
*Benjamin Clark,
*John Fenno,
Nathaniel Faxon.

Ward 3.
*John Richardson Adan,
*William Sprague,
Amos Farnsworth,
Asa Adams.

Ward 4.
*George Hallett,
*William Howe,
John Warren James,
Joseph Eveleth.

Ward 5.
Ezra Dyer,
*Charles Tracy,
Jonathan Thaxter,
William Parker.

Ward 6.
Joseph Stacy Hastings,
Thomas Wiley,
*Isaac Waters,
*Samuel Thaxter,

Ward 7.
*Augustus Peabody,
Charles Pelham Curtis,
Isaac Parker,
Edward Brooks.

Ward 8.
Francis Bassett,
Joseph Helger Thayer,
Joseph Hawley Dorr,
John Baker.

Ward 9.
John Chipman Gray,
Jeremiah Smith Boies,
*Levi Meriam,
Charles Torrey.

Ward 10.
Aaron Baldwin,
John Parker Rice,
Solomon Piper,
Charles Barnard.

Ward 11.
Giles Lodge,
George Morey, jr.
*Joshua Vose,
Thomas Brewer,

Ward 12.
*John Stevens,
Adam Bent,
*Oliver Fisher,
Henry Hatch.

1827.

MAYOR,

JOSIAH QUINCY.

ALDERMEN,

Cyrus Alger,
*John Bellows,
*Thomas Welsh, jr.
John Foster Loring,
Jeremiah Smith Boies,
*Robert Fennelly,
Thomas Beale Wales,
James Savage.

COMMON COUNCIL,

*JOHN RICHARDSON ADAN, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.

William Barry,
Simon Wilkinson,
*John Elliot,
Samuel Aspinwall.

Ward 2.

*Benjamin Clark,
*Scammel Penniman,
John Warren James,
*John Floyd Truman.

Ward 3.

*John Richardson Adan,
*John Damarisque Dyer,
Asa Adams,
Thomas Gould.

Ward 4.

Wm. Rounsville Pierce Washburn,
*George Hallett,
*William Howe,
Joseph Eveleth.

Ward 5.

Jonathan Thaxter,
William Parker,
Lewis Glover Pray,
*George Lane.

Ward 6.

*Isaac Waters,
*Samuel Thaxter,
*Jonathan Loring,
Joseph Warren Lewis.

Ward 7.

*Samuel Dorr,
Samuel Dexter Ward,
*John Arno Bacon,
Thomas Walley Phillips.

Ward 8.

*David Watts Bradlee,
*Benjamin Russell,
Eliphalet Williams,
Joshua Sears.

Ward 9.

John Chipman Gray,
*Levi Meriam,
*Gamaliel Bradford,
John Prescott Bigelow.

Ward 10.

*Jonathan Simonds,
George Brinley,
William Parker,
Charles Sprague.

Ward 11.

Giles Lodge,
George Morey, jr.
*Joshua Vose,
Josiah Vose.

Ward 12.

Adam Bent,
William Wright,
*William Little, jr.
*George Gay.

1828.

MAYOR,

JOSIAH QUINCY.

ALDERMEN,

John Foster Loring,
*Robert Fennelly,
James Savage,
*Thomas Kendall,
*James Hall,
Phineas Upham,
*John Pickering,
*Samuel Turell Armstrong.

COMMON COUNCIL,

*JOHN RICHARDSON ADAN, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.

Samuel Aspinwall,
Ninian Clark Betton,
*Horace Fox,
*Eleazer Pratt.

Ward 2.

John Warren James,
Frederick Gould,
*Henry Fowle, jr.
George Washington Johnson.

Ward 3.

*John Richardson Adan,
*John D. Dyer, (res. April.)
Thomas Gould,
*Levi Roberts Lincoln,
*James L. P. Orrok, (from May.)

Ward 4.

Joseph Eveleth,
Quincy Tufts,
Andrew Cunningham, jr.
James Means.

Ward 5.

George Washington Otis,
William Parker,
Lewis Glover Pray,
*George Lane.

Ward 6.

*Isaac Waters,
Francis Johonnot Oliver,
*Ebenezer Appleton,
*David Moody.

Ward 7.

*John Arno Bacon,
John Belknap,
*George W. Adams, (from May.)
Thomas Wren Ward, (res. July.)
Waldo Flint, (res February.)
*Benj. T. Pickman, (from August.)

Ward 8.

*Benjamin Russell,
Eliphalet Williams,
Samuel King Williams,
Thomas Lamb.

Ward 9.

John Chipman Gray,
John Prescott Bigelow,
*Norman Seaver,
Daniel Lewis Gibbens.

Ward 10.

*Jonathan Simonds,
William Parker,
Robert Treat Paine, (from May.)
*John Lowell, jr.
Geo. Bethune, (res. April.)

Ward 11.

*Otis Everett,
Otis Turner,
Perez Gill,
Payson Perrin.

Ward 12.

Alpheus Cary,
Walter Cornell,
Joseph Neale Howe,
Benjamin Stevens.

1829.

MAYOR,

*HARRISON GRAY OTIS.

ALDERMEN,

*Henry Jackson Oliver,
John Foster Loring,
*Thomas Kendall,
*James Hall,
*Samuel Turell Armstrong,
*Benjamin Russell,
*Winslow Lewis,
Charles Wells.

COMMON COUNCIL,

ELIPHALET WILLIAMS, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
Ninian Clark Betton,
*Eleazer Pratt,
John Wells,
*Christopher Gore.

Ward 2.
John Warren James,
Henry Sewall Kent,
Samuel Ellis,
*Thomas Reed, (died Feb.)
*Daniel Ballard, (from March.)

Ward 3.
Thomas Gould,
*Levi Roberts Lincoln,
Joseph Bradley,
*Amos Bradley Parker.

Ward 4.
Quincy Tufts,
Andrew Cunningham,
John Rayner,
Samuel Davenport Torrey.

Ward 5.
Jonathan Thaxter,
William Parker,
*George Lane,
Joseph Eveleth.

Ward 6.
*Isaac Waters,
Samuel Austin, jr.
Jared Lincoln,
Samuel Goodhue.

Ward 7.
*Geo. W. Adams, (died May.)
*Benjamin Toppan Pickman,
Thomas Wetmore,
Walter Frost,
Isaac Danforth, (from May.)

Ward 8.
John Prescott Bigelow,
*Jacob Amee,
Levi Brigham,
Daniel Lewis Gibbens.

Ward 9.
Eliphalet Williams,
Samuel King Williams,
*Thomas Minns,
James Brackett Richardson.

Ward 10.
*Jonathan Simonds,
*John Lowell, jr.
*Samuel Leonard Abbott,
Charles Casey Starbuck.

Ward 11.
*Otis Everett,
Otis Turner,
Perez Gill,
Payson Perrin.

Ward 12.
*Oliver Fisher,
Walter Cornell,
Aaron Willard, jr.
*Isaac Parker Townsend.

1830.

MAYOR,

*HARRISON GRAY OTIS.

ALDERMEN,

*Henry Jackson Oliver,
John Foster Loring,
*Samuel Turell Armstrong,
*Benjamin Russell,
*Winslow Lewis,
Charles Wells,
*John Burbeck McCleary,
Moses Williams.

COMMON COUNCIL,

*BENJAMIN TOPPAN PICKMAN, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
Ninian Clark Betton,
*Eleazer Pratt,
*Christopher Gore,
Simon Wiggin Robinson.

Ward 2.
John Warren James,
Samuel Ellis,
*Daniel Ballard,
John B. Wells.

Ward 3.
Thomas Gould,
*Levi Roberts Lincoln,
Larra Crane,
Michael Lovell.

Ward 4.
Quincy Tufts,
John Rayner,
Samuel Davenport Torrey,
Washington Parker Gregg.

Ward 5.
Winslow Wright,
Joseph Eveleth,
Levi Boynton Haskell,
Charles Leighton.

Ward 6.
*Isaac Waters,
Samuel Austin, jr.
Jared Lincoln,
Joshua Seaver,
Benjamin Parker, (seat vacated in February.)

Ward 7.
*Benjamin Toppan Pickman,
Thomas Wetmore,
Isaac Danforth,
Elias Hasket Derby.

Ward 8.
*Thomas Minns,
James Brackett Richardson,
*Joseph Reynolds Newell,
*Leach Harris.

Ward 9.
John Prescott Bigelow,
*Jacob Amee,
Levi Brigham,
*Edw. Goldsborough Prescott

Ward 10.
John Parker Rice,
*John Lowell, jr.
*Samuel Leonard Abbott,
Levi Bliss,

Ward 11.
*Otis Everett,
Perez Gill,
Jabez Ellis,
Joseph Hay,

Ward 12.
Henry Hatch,
Aaron Willard, jr.
Thomas Melville Vinson,
*James Wright.

1831.

MAYOR,

*HARRISON GRAY OTIS.

ALDERMEN,

*Henry Jackson Oliver,
*Samuel Turell Armstrong,
*Benjamin Russell,
*John Burbeck McCleary,
Henry Farnam,
Adam Bent,
*John Binney,
*Richard Devens Harris.

COMMON COUNCIL,

*BENJAMIN TOPPAN PICKMAN, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
Simon Wiggin Robinson,
John Brigden Tremere,
Charles French,
Frederick Gould.

Ward 2.
John Warren James,
*Daniel Ballard,
*Ephraim Milton,
*Daniel Dickenson.

Ward 3.
Larra Crane,
James Clark,
Asa Swallow,
*Samuel Chessman.

Ward 4.
Joseph Eveleth,
John Rayner,
Washington Parker Gregg,
Joshua Parker Flint.

Ward 5.
Winslow Wright,
William Parker,
Levi Boynton Haskell,
Charles Leighton.

Ward 6.
Joseph Stacy Hastings,
*Isaac Waters,
Ensign Sargeant,
Stephen Titcomb.

Ward 7.
*Benjamin Toppan Pickman,
Thomas Wetmore,
Levi Bartlett,
Abbott Lawrence.

Ward 8.
*Thomas Minns,
James Brackett Richardson,
*Joseph Reynolds Newell,
*Leach Harris.

Ward 9.
John Prescott Bigelow,
*Jacob Amee,
*Ed. Goldsborough Prescott,
*Ed. Hutchinson Robbins.

Ward 10.
*Samuel Leonard Abbott,
Levi Bliss,
*Ebenezer Bailey,
Josiah Pierce.

Ward 11.
*Otis Everett,
Perez Gill,
Jabez Ellis,
Joseph Hay.

Ward 12.
Henry Hatch,
Aaron Willard, jr.
Thomas Melville Vinson,
John Stevens.

1832.

MAYOR,

CHARLES WELLS.

ALDERMEN,

*Henry Jackson Oliver,
*Benjamin Russell,
*John Burbeck McCleary,
Henry Farnam,
*John Binney,
*Rich'd D. Harris, (res. Feb.)
Jabez Ellis,
*James Bowdoin,
*John Stevens, (died.)
*Wm. Tileston, (from Feb.)

COMMON COUNCIL,

JOHN PRESCOTT BIGELOW, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
Simon Wiggin Robinson,
Charles French,
John Centre,
Bill Richardson.

Ward 2.
John Warren James,
*Ephraim Milton,
*Daniel Dickenson,
John Brigden Tremere.

Ward 3.
Larra Crane,
James Clark,
Asa Swallow,
*Samuel Chessman.

Ward 4.
*George Hallett,
Joseph Eveleth,
John Rayner,
Joshua Barker Flint.

Ward 5.
Eliphalet Porter Hartshorn,
William Parker,
Levi Boynton Haskell,
Charles Leighton.

Ward 6.
Joseph Stacy Hastings,
*Isaac Waters,
Jonathan Porter,
Grenville Temple Winthrop.

Ward 7.
Isaac Parker,
Thomas Wetmore,
Levi Bartlett,
Henry Rice.

Ward 8.
*Thomas Minns,
Richard Hildreth,
James Brown,
John Lewis Dimmock.

Ward 9.
John Prescott Bigelow,
*Jacob Amee,
*Ed. Goldsborough Prescott,
*Ed. Hutchinson Robbins.

Ward 10.
*Ebenezer Bailey
Josiah Pierce,
Francis Brinley, jr.,
John Collamore, jr.

Ward 11.
Joseph Hay,
John Lillie Phillips,
*Gilman Prichard,
Henry Willis Kinsman.

Ward 12.
Henry Hatch,
Thomas Hunting,
Ebenezer Hayward,
Joseph Harris, jr.

1833.

MAYOR.

CHARLES WELLS.

ALDERMEN,

Henry Farnam,
*John Binney,
Jabez Ellis,
*William Tileston,
Thomas Wetmore,
*Samuel Fales,
Joseph Warren Revere,
Benjamin Fiske.

COMMON COUNCIL,

JOHN PRESCOTT BIGELOW, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
Simon Wiggin Robinson,
Bill Richardson,
Enoch Howes Snelling,
*Thomas Hart Thompson.

Ward 2.
John Warren James,
John B. Wells,
Henry Andrews,
George Priest Thomas.

Ward 3.
Larra Crane,
James Clark,
*Samuel Chessman,
Philip Adams.

Ward 4.
Robert Gould Shaw,
Joseph Eveleth,
Edward Blake.
Silas Pierce Tarbell.

Ward 5.
Eliphalet Porter Hartshorn,
Charles Leighton,
*Abel Phelps,
*Perez Loring.

Ward 6.
Joseph Stacy Hastings,
*Isaac Waters,
Grenville Temple Winthrop,
Luther Parks.

Ward 7.
Levi Bartlett,
Henry Rice,
William Tappan Eustis,
Josiah Quincy, jr.

Ward 8.
Eliphalet Williams,
*Silas Bullard,
Francis Osborn Watts,
*Abner Bourne.

Ward 9.
John Prescott Bigelow,
*Jacob Amee,
*Ed. Goldsborough Prescott,
*Oliver Wm. Bourne Peabody

Ward 10.
Josiah Pierce,
*Daniel Messinger,
*Israel Martin,
Thomas Richards Dascomb.

Ward 11.
Robert Treat Paine,
John Doggett,
Samuel Gilbert, jr.,
*Ruel Baker.

Ward 12.
Thomas Hunting,
Joseph Harris, jr.,
James Blake,
Josiah Dunham.

1834.

MAYOR,

*THEODORE LYMAN, Jr.

ALDERMEN,

Jabez Ellis,
Thomas Wetmore,
*Samuel Fales,
Charles Leighton,
Josiah Dunham,
*Nathan Gurney,
Samuel Atkins Eliot,
Samuel Greele.

COMMON COUNCIL,

JOSIAH QUINCY, Jr., President.

Ward 1.
Enoch Howe Snelling,
Henry D. Gray,
Robert Keith,
*Henry Jackson Oliver.

Ward 2.
John Warren James,
John Bridgden Tremere,
George Washington Smith,
*Joseph Melcher Leavitt.

Ward 3.
*John Snelling,
Simon Green Shipley,
Joshua Sears,
*Samuel Chessman.

Ward 4.
Ammi Cutter,
*Ezra Trull,
Asa Lewis,
George Worthington Lewis.

Ward 5.
*Michael Roulstone,
Nath'l Fellows Cunningham,
*Calvin Washburn,
Enoch Hobart.

Ward 6.
Jesse Shaw,
Joseph Stacy Hastings,
Grenville Temple Winthrop,
George Washington Bazin.

Ward 7.
Levi Bartlett,
Henry Rice,
William Tappan Eustis,
Josiah Quincy, jr.

Ward 8.
Eliphalet Williams,
James Brackett Richardson,
Henry Sargeant,
*Edward Cruft, jr.

Ward 9.
*Ed. Goldsborough Prescott,
*OliverWm. Bourne Peabody
Benjamin Apthrop Gould,
Isaac McLellan, jr.

Ward 10.
*Daniel Messinger,
*Israel Martin,
Thomas Richards Dascomb,
William Reed.

Ward 11.
Robert Treat Paine,
*Ruel Baker,
Elias Bond Thayer,
Philip Marrett.

Ward 12.
Thomas Hunting,
Joseph Harris, jr.,
James Blake,
Josiah Lee Currell Amee.

1835.

MAYOR,

*THEODORE LYMAN, Jr.

ALDERMEN,

*Winslow Lewis,
*John Burbeck McCleary,
Thomas Wetmore,
Charles Leighton,
Josiah Dunham,
*Nathan Gurney,
Samuel Atkins Eliot,
Samuel Greele.

COMMON COUNCIL,

JOSIAH QUINCY, Jr., President.

Ward 1.
Henry D. Gray,
Robert Keith,
Isaac Harris,
Caleb Gould Loring.

Ward 2.
John Warren James,
*Stephen William Olney,
Lewis Josselyn,
Thomas Hollis.

Ward 3.
*John Snelling,
Simon Green Shipley,
*William Turner Spear,
George Washington Smith.

Ward 4.
Moses Grant,
George William Gordon,
Henry Lincoln,
Benajah Brigham.

Ward 5.
*Calvin Washburn,
Enoch Hobart,
Abraham Waters Blanchard,
John Cochran Park.

Ward 6.
Jesse Shaw,
Stephen Titcomb,
*Jonathan Chapman,
Amos Wood.

Ward 7.
William Tappan Eustis,
Josiah Quincy, jr.,
Horatio Masa Willis,
*James Means.

Ward 8.
Eliphalet Williams,
*Edward Cruft, jr.,
*Ebenezer Bailey,
Horace Dupee.

Ward 9.
Daniel Lewis Gibbens,
Benjamin Apthorp Gould,
Zebedee Cook, jr.,
James Harris.

Ward 10.
Solomon Piper,
*Israel Martin,
*Richard Sullivan Fay,
Jedediah Tuttle.

Ward 11.
*Ruel Baker,
Elias Bond Thayer,
Philip Marrett,
John Thompson.

Ward 12.
Thomas Hunting,
William Bradlee Dorr,
John Green, jr.,
*John Bliss Stebbins

1836.

MAYOR,

*SAMUEL TURELL ARMSTRONG.

ALDERMEN,

*Winslow Lewis,
*John Burbeck McCleary,
Josiah Dunham,
*Nathan Gurney,
Samuel Greele,
Joseph Henshaw Hayward,
Thomas Hunting,
*Samuel Quincy.

COMMON COUNCIL,

JOSIAH QUINCY, Jr., President.

Ward 1.
Enoch Howes Snelling,
Joseph Bassett,
Gilbert Nurse,
William Eaton.

Ward 2.
Lewis Josselyn,
Thatcher Rich Raymond,
Nathan Carruth,
Thomas Moulton.

Ward 3.
John Boles,
Benjamin Kimball,
Jason Dyer Battles,
Asa Barker Snow.

Ward 4.
Moses Grant,
George William Gordon,
Henry Lincoln,
Benajah Brigham.

Ward 5.
Abraham Waters Blanchard,
John Cochran Park,
George Washington Edmands,
Ebenezer Ellis.

Ward 6.
*Isaac Waters,
*Jonathan Chapman,
Amos Wood,
Henry Upham.

Ward 7.
William Tappan Eustis,
Josiah Quincy, jr.,
Henry Edwards,
James Thomas Hobart.

Ward 8.
Eliphalet Williams,
Horace Dupee,
William Greene Eaton,
Aaron Breed.

Ward 9.
Daniel Lewis Gibbens,
Benjamin Apthorp Gould,
James Harris,
Thomas Coffin Amory.

Ward 10.
Solomon Piper,
*Israel Martin, (res. March.)
Jedediah Tuttle,
Elbridge Gerry Austin,
Benjamin Yeaton, (April.)

Ward 11.
Elias Bond Thayer,
Philip Marrett,
John Thompson,
Benjamin Marshall Nevers.

Ward 12.
Alpheus Stetson,
Stephen Child,
George Savage,
Solon Jenkins.

1837.

MAYOR.

SAMUEL ATKINS ELIOT.

ALDERMEN.

Henry Farnam,
Thomas Wetmore,
*Nathan Gurney,
Joseph Henshaw Hayward,
Thomas Hunting,
*Samuel Quincy,
John B. Wells,
Thomas Richardson.

COMMON COUNCIL.

PHILLIP MARRETT, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
*Eleazer Pratt,
Isaac Harris,
*Erasmus Thompson, (d. Aug.)
Thomas Hudson,
Samuel Locke Cutter.

Ward 2.
Lewis Josselyn,
Thatcher Rich Raymond,
Nathan Carruth,
Thomas Moulton.

Ward 3.
John Boles,
Jason Dyer Battles,
Asa Barker Snow,
William Orne Haskell.

Ward 4.
Moses Grant,
George William Gordon,
Joseph Thornton Adams,
Lemuel Putnam Grosvenor.

Ward 5.
Ebenezer Ellis,
Edmund Trowbridge Hastings,
Philip Greely, jr.
Francis Brown.

Ward 6.
*Isaac Waters,
George Washington Bazin,
*Ezra Lincoln,
Henry Edwards.

Ward 7.
Levi Bartlett,
James Thomas Hobart,
Thomas Buckminster Curtis,
*Simon Davis Leavens.

Ward 8.
Eliphalet Williams,
Horace Dupee,
William Greene Eaton,
Aaron Breed.

Ward 9.
Benjamin Apthrop Gould,
James Harris,
Thomas Coffin Amory,
Charles Brooks,

Ward 10.
Solomon Piper,
Jedediah Tuttle,
Elbridge Gerry Austin,
Benjamin Yeaton.

Ward 11.
Philip Marrett,
Lemuel Shattuck,
Calvin Bullard,
*Thomas Vose.

Ward 12.
George Savage,
Solon Jenkins,
Josiah Dunham, jr.
John Thomas Dingley.

1838.

MAYOR,

SAMUEL ATKINS ELIOT.

ALDERMEN,

Henry Farnam,
Thomas Wetmore,
*Nathan Gurney,
Joseph Henshaw Hayward.
Thomas Hunting,
Thomas Richardson,
Isaac Harris,
*Martin Brimmer.

COMMON COUNCIL,

PHILIP MARRETT, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
William Eaton,
Thomas Hudson,
Benjamin Dodd,
Bradley Newcomb Cumings.

Ward 2.
*Daniel Ballard,
Lewis Josselyn,
Thatcher Rich Raymond,
Thomas Moulton.

Ward 3.
Asa Barker Snow,
Rowland Ellis,
William Eaton,
Charles Arnold.

Ward 4.
Moses Grant,
George William Gordon,
Lemuel Putnam Grosvenor,
James Morris Whiton.

Ward 5.
Francis Brown,
Nathaniel Hammond,
James McAllaster,
Theophilus Burr.

Ward 6.
*Jonathan Chapman,
*Ezra Lincoln,
Henry Edwards,
Newell Aldrich Thompson.

Ward 7.
Isaac Parker,
Henry Rice,
Thomas Buckminster Curtis,
*Simon Davis Leavens.

Ward 8.
Eliphalet Williams,
Benjamin Parker Richardson
John Brooks Parker,
Thomas Jefferson Shelton.

Ward 9.
James Harris,
Thomas Coffin Amory,
Charles Brooks,
John Brooks Russell.

Ward 10.
Elbridge Gerry Austin,
Benjamin Yeaton,
Jonathan Preston,
Stephen Shelton.

Ward 11.
Philip Marrett,
Lemuel Shattuck,
Calvin Bullard,
*Thomas Vose.

Ward 12.
Jeremy Drake,
Nehemiah Pitman Mann,
*Samuel Wheeler,
Warren White.

1839.

MAYOR,

SAMUEL ATKINS ELIOT.

ALDERMEN,

Henry Farnam,
Thomas Wetmore,
*Nathan Gurney,
Joseph Henshaw Hayward,
Thomas Hunting,
Thomas Richardson,
Isaac Harris,
James Harris.

COMMON COUNCIL,

PHILIP MARRETT, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
John B. Wells,
Benjamin Dodd,
Zebina Lee Raymond,
William Dillaway.

Ward 2.
Thomas Moulton,
Richard Brackett,
Freeborn Fairfield Raymond,
Samuel Emmes.

Ward 3.
*John Snelling,
Simon Green Shipley,
Jacob Stearns,
Ezekiel Bates.

Ward 4.
Moses Grant,
Geo. Wm. Gordon [res. May.]
Charles Wilkins,
James Haughton,
Alfred A. Wellington, [May.]

Ward 5.
Nathaniel Hammond,
James McAllaster,
*William Vinal Kent,
Ephraim Larkin Snow.

Ward 6.
*Jonathan Chapman,
*Ezra Lincoln,
Newell Aldrich Thompson,
Horace Williams.

Ward 7.
Isaac Parker,
Phillip Marrett,
Ezra C. Hutchins,
Edward Blake.

Ward 8.
Eliphalet Williams,
John Brooks Parker,
Thomas Jefferson Shelton,
William Walker Parrott.

Ward 9.
Thomas Coffin Amory,
Charles Brooks,
Jonathan Preston,
Stephen Shelton.

Ward 10.
Gideon F. Thayer,
*Ruel Baker,
Winslow Lewis, jr.
Lemuel Shattuck.

Ward 11.
Warren White,
*Samuel Wheeler,
Elisha Copeland, jr.
John Stevens.

Ward 12.
Josiah Lee Currell Amee,
Nicholas Noyes,
George Page,
Horatio Nelson Crane.

1840.

MAYOR,

*JONATHAN CHAPMAN.

ALDERMEN,

*Nathaniel Pope Russell,
*Nathan Gurney,
Thomas Hunting,
James Clark,
Charles Wilkins,
Abraham Thompson Lowe,
William Turell Andrews,
Charles Amory.

COMMON COUNCIL,

PHILIP MARRETT, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.

Zebina Lee Raymond,
Henry Leeds,
William Russell Lovejoy,
Peter Dunbar.

Ward 2.

Richard Brackett,
Freeborn Fairfield Raymond,
Samuel Emmes,
Erastus Wilson Sanborn.

Ward 3.

*John Snelling,
Simon Green Shipley,
Jacob Stearns,
Dexter Follett.

Ward 4.

Moses Grant,
James Haughton,
Alfred Augustus Wellington,
Lucius Doolittle.

Ward 5.

Philip Greely, jr.
Nathaniel Hammond,
*William Vinal Kent,
George Washington Otis, jr.

Ward 6.

*Ezra Lincoln,
Newell Aldrich Thompson,
John Hubbard Wilkins,
Elijah Williams, jr.

Ward 7.

Isaac Parker,
Philip Marrett,
Ezra Child Hutchins,
Edward Blake.

Ward 8.

Eliphalet Williams,
Benj. Parker Richardson,
Thomas Jefferson Shelton,
William Walker Parrott.

Ward 9.

Thomas Coffin Amory,
Charles Brooks,
Jonathan Preston,
Stephen Shelton.

Ward 10.

*Ruel Baker,
Lemuel Shattuck,
George William Phillips,
Daniel Kimball.

Ward 11.

John Stevens,
Holmes Hinckley,
George Savage,
John Thomas Dingley.

Ward 12.

Josiah Lee Currell Amee,
George Page,
Horatio Nelson Crane,
Eben Jackson.

1841.

MAYOR,

*JONATHAN CHAPMAN.

ALDERMEN,

Thomas Wetmore,
Thomas Hunting,
James Clark,
Charles Wilkins,
Abraham Thompson Lowe,
William Turell Andrews,
Charles Amory,
Benson Leavitt.

COMMON COUNCIL,

EDWARD BLAKE, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
Isaac Harris,
Benjamin Dodd,
William Dillaway,
Henry Northey Hooper.

Ward 2.
Richard Brackett,
Freeborn Fairfield Raymond,
Samuel Emmes,
Erastus Wilson Sanborn.

Ward 3.
*John Snelling,
Simon Green Shipley,
Jacob Stearns,
Benajah Brigham.

Ward 4.
Moses Grant,
Joseph Thornton Adams,
James Haughton,
Alfred Augustus Wellington.

Ward 5.
George Washington Otis, jr.,
Pelham Bonney,
Freeman Stowe,
Edward Parker Merriam.

Ward 6.
*Ezra Lincoln,
Newell A. Thompson, (res. Apl.)
John Hubbard Wilkins,
Enoch Train,
Jos. N. Howe, jr., (from July.)

Ward 7.
Ezra Child Hutchins,
Edward Blake,
John Plummer Healy,
Theophilus Rogers Marvin.

Ward 8.
Eliphalet Williams,
Benj. Parker Richardson,
Thomas Jefferson Shelton,
William Walker Parrott.

Ward 9.
Thomas Coffin Amory,
Jonathan Preston,
Stephen Shelton,
*Moses Whitney, jr.

Ward 10.
*Ruel Baker,
Lemuel Shattuck,
Daniel Kimball,
Luther Blodgett.

Ward 11,
John Gardner Nazro,
Richard Urann,
Edward Shirley Erving,
John Gray Roberts.

Ward 12.
Samuel Leeds,
William Henry Howard,
Seriah Stevens,
William Burton Harding.

1842.

MAYOR,

*JONATHAN CHAPMAN.

ALDERMEN,

Thomas Wetmore,
*Nathan Gurney,
Abraham Thompson Lowe,
Larra Crane,
William Parker,
Joseph Tilden,
James Longley,
Richard Urann.

COMMON COUNCIL,

EDWARD BLAKE, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
Enoch Howes Snelling,
Norton Newcomb,
Cyrus Buttrick,
Perkins Boynton.

Ward 2.
Samuel Emmes,
Aaron Adams,
*Joseph Cullen Ayer,
Abner Williams Pollard.

Ward 3.
*John Snelling,
Simon Green Shipley,
Jacob Stearns,
Enoch Hemmenway Wakefield.

Ward 4.
Moses Grant,
Fras. Boardman Crowninshield,
William Brown Spooner,
Noah Sturtevant.

Ward 5.
Pelham Bonney,
George Wheelwright,
Henry Plympton,
Samuel Ripley Townsend.

Ward 6.
*Ezra Lincoln,
John Hubbard Wilkins,
Enoch Train,
Joseph Neale Howe, jr.

Ward 7.
William Tappan Eustis,
Edward Blake,
John Plummer Healy,
Theophilus Rogers Marvin.

Ward 8.
Benj. Parker Richardson,
William Augustus Weeks,
Josiah Moore Jones,
Benjamin Burchstead.

Ward 9.
Thomas Coffin Amory,
*Moses Whitney, jr.,
Charles Edward Cook,
John Rice Bradlee.

Ward 10.
Luther Blodgett,
William Hayden,
Jonathan Ellis,
Henry Worthington Dutton.

Ward 11.
John Thomas Dingley,
William Dall,
Asaph Parmlee,
Robert Cowdin.

Ward 12.
Jeremy Drake,
Willis Howes,
John Tillson,
Caleb Thurston.

1843.

MAYOR,

*MARTIN BRIMMER.

ALDERMEN,

Thomas Wetmore,
Abraham Thompson Lowe,
William Parker,
James Longley,
Richard Urann,
Simon Wilkinson,
Josiah Stedman,
Jonathan Preston.

COMMON COUNCIL,

EDWARD BLAKE, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.

Isaac Harris,
Josh. B. Fowle, (seat vac. Feb.)
*J. G. L. Libbey, (seat vac. Feb.)
Daniel Bartlett, jr., (Feb.)
Wm. Henry Learnard, (Feb.)

Ward 2.

Aaron Adams,
*Joseph Cullen Ayer,
Abner Williams Pollard,
Henry Davis.

Ward 3.

*John Snelling,
Enoch Hemmenway Wakefield,
James Whiting,
James Harvey Dudley.

Ward 4.

Frs. Boardman Crowninshield,
Noah Sturtevant,
George Washington Crockett,
Thomas Buckminster Curtis.

Ward 5.

George Wheelwright,
Henry Plympton,
*Willard Nason Fisher,
James Fowle.

Ward 6.

John Hubbard Wilkins,
Joseph Neale Howe, jr.,
Kimball Gibson,
Peleg Whitman Chandler.

Ward 7.

Edward Blake,
Theophilus Rogers Marvin,
John Slade, jr.,
George Tyler Bigelow.

Ward 8.

Benj. Parker Richardson,
William Augustus Weeks,
Josiah Moore Jones,
Benjamin Burchstead.

Ward 9.

Charles Edward Cook,
John Rice Bradlee,
Andrew Townsend Hall,
Clement Willis.

Ward 10.

Luther Blodgett,
William Hayden,
Jonathan Ellis,
Henry Worthington Dutton.

Ward 11.

Edward Shirley Erving,
Robert Cowdin,
Isaac Cary,
Greenleaf Connor Sanborn.

Ward 12.

Jeremy Drake,
Eben Jackson,
John Tillson,
Romanus Emerson.

1844.

MAYOR,

*MARTIN BRIMMER.

ALDERMEN,

Thomas Wetmore,
Abraham Thompson Lowe,
Larra Crane,
Jonathan Preston,
Simon Wiggin Robinson,
Henry Bromfield Rogers,
James Longley,
Simon Wilkinson.

COMMON COUNCIL,

PELEG WHITMAN CHANDLER, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
Isaac Harris,
William Henry Learnard,
Job Turner,
John P. Ober.

Ward 2.
*Joseph Cullen Ayer,
Abner Williams Pollard,
Henry Davis,
Timothy C. Kendall.

Ward 3.
*John Snelling,
James Whiting,
James Harvey Dudley,
Oliver Dyer.

Ward 4.
Frs. Boardman Crowninshield,
George Washington Crockett,
Thomas Buckminster Curtis,
Samuel W. Hall.

Ward 5.
George Wheelwright,
*Willard Nason Fisher,
Charles Boardman,
Loring Norcross.

Ward 6.
Peleg Whitman Chandler,
Kimball Gibson,
John Gardner,
Otis Clapp.

Ward 7.
*Simon Davis Leavens,
Gideon Francis Thayer,
*B. B. Appleton, (d. April.)
John Brooks Parker, (May.)
*Joseph Bradlee.

Ward 8.
Benjamin Parker Richardson,
Samuel Topliff,
George Whittemore,
Samuel Harris.

Ward 9.
Charles Edward Cook,
Andrew Townsend Hall,
Clement Willis,
Charles H. Brown.

Ward 10.
William Hayden,
Jonathan Ellis,
Henry Worthington Dutton,
Horace Williams.

Ward 11.
Edward Shirley Erving,
Isaac Cary,
Greenleaf Conner Sanborn,
William Pope.

Ward 12.
Jeremy Drake,
Asa Brown,
Henry W. Fletcher,
Isaac Jones.

1845.

MAYOR,

*THOMAS A. DAVIS, (died November.)
JOSIAH QUINCY, Jr. (from December 11.)

ALDERMEN,

Benson Leavitt,
William Parker, (resigned.)
William Pope,
John Hathaway,
Samuel Shurtleff Perkins.
Simon Green Shipley,
*Joseph Cullen Ayer,
Lyman Reed,
James S. Savage, (from March.)

COMMON COUNCIL,

PELEG WHITMAN CHANDLER, President.

Ward 1.
Henry Northey Hooper,
Cyrus Buttrick,
Perkins Boynton,
Samuel P. Oliver.

Ward 2.
James Munroe,
William R. Carnes,
Benjamin Wood, 2d,
John Turner.

Ward 3.
Asa Swallow,
James Whiting,
Artemas Ward,
Cyrus Cummings.

Ward 4.
Thomas Buckminster Curtis,
Samuel W. Hall,
Samuel Abbott Lawrence,
Sargent S. Littlehale.

Ward 5.
Charles Boardman,
Loring Norcross,
Benjamin Seaver,
George R. Sampson.

Ward 6.
Peleg Whitman Chandler,
Kimball Gibson,
Otis Clapp,
George Stillman Hillard.

Ward 7.
*Simon Davis Leavens,
Gideon Francis Thayer,
John Brooks Parker,
*Joseph Bradlee.

Ward 8.
Samuel Topliff,
George Whittemore,
James Hayward,
Daniel Denny.

Ward 9.
Charles Edward Cook,
Andrew Townsend Hall,
Clement Willis,
Charles H. Brown.

Ward 10.
William Hayden,
Henry Worthington Dutton,
Horace Williams,
James Dennison.

Ward 11.
Greenleaf Connor Sanborn,
John Green, jr.
George Davis,
Calvin W. Haven.

Ward 12.
Samuel C. Demerest,
*Thomas Jones,
Samuel W. Sloan,
Theophilus Stover.

1846.

MAYOR,

JOSIAH QUINCY, Jr.

ALDERMEN,

William Parker,
Jonathan Preston,
William Pope,
John Hathaway,
Frederick Gould,
Charles A. Wells,
*Thomas Jones,
George E. Head.

COMMON COUNCIL,

GEORGE STILLMAN HILLARD, President.

Ward 1.
William Eaton,
John P. Ober,
Samuel P. Oliver,
Samuel C. Nottage.

Ward 2.
Benjamin Wood, 2d.,
John Turner,
Noah Harrod,
George Carlisle,

Ward 3.
*John Snelling,
James Whiting,
George Cofran,
Jeremiah Ross.

Ward 4.
Samuel W. Hall,
William Tappan Eustis,
*Abel Phelps,
Thomas B. Pope.

Ward 5.
Charles Boardman,
Loring Norcross,
Benjamin Seaver,
George R. Sampson.

Ward 6.
Otis Clapp,
George S. Hillard,
Thomas Haviland,
Charles Henry Parker.

Ward 7.
*Simon Davis Leavens,
Gideon Francis Thayer,
John Gardner,
Nathaniel W. Coffin.

Ward 8.
Samuel Topliff,
George Whittemore,
James Hayward,
Daniel Denny.

Ward 9.
Clement Willis,
William Whitney,
Walter Bryent,
Henry W. Cushing.

Ward 10.
Henry Worthington Dutton,
Horace Williams,
James Dodd,
John L. Emmons.

Ward 11.
Edward Shirley Erving,
John Green, jr.
Stephen Tucker,
George W. Frothingham.

Ward 12.
Solon Jenkins,
William Eaton,
Seth Adams,
John W. Crafts.

1847.

MAYOR,

JOSIAH QUINCY, Jr.

ALDERMEN,

Thomas Wetmore,
William Parker,
John Hathaway,
Frederick Gould,
*Thomas Jones,
George E. Head,
John H. Wilkins,
Billings Briggs.

COMMON COUNCIL,

GEORGE STILLMAN HILLARD, President.
(Resigned, July 1.)

BENJAMIN SEAVER, President.
(Chosen, July 1.)

Ward 1.

John P. Ober,
Samuel P. Oliver,
Samuel C. Nottage,
Noah Lincoln, jr.

Ward 2.

John Turner,
Noah Harrod,
George Carlisle,
William Wildes.

Ward 3.

James Whiting,
James Boynton,
Edwin C. Bailey,
*George W. Felt.

Ward 4.

William Brown Spooner,
Samuel W. Hall,
William Whitwell Greenough,
Darwin E. Jewett.

Ward 5.

Benjamin Seaver,
Eliphalet Jones,
William D. Coolidge,
George W. Abbott.

Ward 6.

George S. Hillard,
Thomas Haviland,
Charles Henry Parker,
Richard B. Carter.

Ward 7.

Theophilus Rogers Marvin,
Gideon Francis Thayer,
William G. Brooks,
Samuel Eliot Guild.

Ward 8.

Samuel Topliff,
George Whittemore,
Francis Gardner,
Willard A. Harrington.

Ward 9.

Walter Bryent,
Henry W. Cushing,
William Blake,
Tisdale Drake.

Ward 10.

Henry Worthington Dutton,
George R. Sampson,
Ezra Lincoln, jr.
Samuel Wales, jr.

Ward 11.

Edward Shirley Erving,
John Green, jr.
Stephen Tucker,
George W. Frothingham.

Ward 12.

William Eaton,
Jabez Coney,
Samuel S. Perkins,
Alvan Simonds.

1848.

MAYOR,

JOSIAH QUINCY, JR.

ALDERMEN,

Henry Bromfield Rogers,
William Pope,
John Hathaway,
Frederick Gould,
George E. Head, (res. April.)
John H. Wilkins,
Billings Briggs,
John P. Ober,
Moses Grant, (from April.)

COMMON COUNCIL,

BENJAMIN SEAVER, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.

Daniel Bartlett, jr.,
Noah Lincoln, jr.,
John H. Bowker, (resigned.)
Abel B. Munroe,
William Palfrey.

Ward 2.

Freeborn Fairfield Raymond,
Henry Davis,
William Wildes,
George D. B. Blanchard.

Ward 3.

James Boynton,
George Cofran,
Edwin C. Bailey,
Thomas Critchet.

Ward 4.

Samuel W. Hall,
William Whitwell Greenough,
Darwin E. Jewett,
Benjamin Seaver.

Ward 5.

Philip Greely, jr.,
Francis Brown,
William D. Coolidge,
George W. Abbott.

Ward 6.

Thomas Haviland,
Charles Henry Parker,
Richard B. Carter,
John Phelps Putnam.

Ward 7.

Theophilus Rogers Marvin,
Gideon Francis Thayer,
William G. Brooks,
J. Putnam Bradlee.

Ward 8.

Samuel Topliff,
Francis Gardner,
Willard A. Harrington,
Nathaniel Brewer.

Ward 9.

Walter Bryent,
Henry W. Cushing,
William Blake,
Tisdale Drake,

Ward 10.

George R. Sampson,
Samuel Wales, jr.
Solomon Hopkins,
Jesse Maynard.

Ward 11.

Edward Shirley Erving,
John Green, jr.
Stephen Tucker,
George W. Frothingham.

Ward 12.

Samuel S. Perkins,
Alvan Simonds,
Benjamin James,
Joseph Smith.

1849.

MAYOR,

JOHN PRESCOTT BIGELOW.

ALDERMEN,

Henry Bromfield Rogers,
William Pope,
Samuel S. Perkins,
John H. Wilkins,
Billings Briggs,
John P. Ober,
Moses Grant,
Samuel Hall.

COMMON COUNCIL,

BENJAMIN SEAVER, PRESIDENT.

Ward 1.
Abel B. Munroe,
William Palfrey,
Isaiah Faxon,
William Parkman.

Ward 2.
Freeborn Fairfield Raymond,
Henry Davis,
George D. B. Blanchard,
Emery Goss.

Ward 3.
George Cofran,
Thomas Critchet,
Julius A. Palmer,
Robert Marsh.

Ward 4.
William Whitwell Greenough,
Benjamin Seaver,
John Atkins,
Nathaniel Seaver.

Ward 5.
Francis Brown,
Frederick Crosby,
Benjamin Beal,
John M. Wright.

Ward 6.
Richard B. Carter,
John Phelps Putnam,
Charles Brown,
Edward Hennessey.

Ward 7.
Theophilus Rogers Marvin,
William G. Brooks,
J. Putnam Bradlee,
Daniel N. Haskell.

Ward 8.
Samuel Topliff,
Francis Gardner,
Willard A. Harrington,
Nathaniel Brewer.

Ward 9.
Tisdale Drake,
Francis Brinley,
Richard B. Callender,
Calvin W. Clark.

Ward 10.
George R. Sampson,
George Woodman,
Moses Kimball,
Reuben Lovejoy.

Ward 11.
Manlius S. Clarke,
George William McLellan,
Albert T. Minot,
Francis Richards.

Ward 12.
Josiah Dunham, jr.,
Benjamin James,
Joseph Smith,
Samuel D. Crane.

1850.

MAYOR,

JOHN PRESCOTT BIGELOW.

ALDERMEN,

Henry B. Rogers,
Samuel S. Perkins,
Billings Briggs,
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